



Robert Zeno Grimes  
A. A. F.  
Solomon King

Joan Harris  
Bertie Wilson

Mary Eleanor Davis

Jim  
W. Baker

Joanne  
Holloway

Gita Adams  
Annette Whithead

"Piggy" Aitken

Mary Douglas Miller

Johnny Scott

Lucille Spencer

Daphne Parker

Ellen James  
Betty Ward

Betty Lyndley

Tommy Watson

Warren Cunningham

Jean Cline

Teenie Dixon  
Robert Corley

Betty Seaton  
Marian Miller  
Edith  
Patterson

Mollie Wasley

Betty June Knight  
Howard Fleming  
Daria Olson

Ray  
Langston

Edna  
Horton

Blanche Reeves

Paul Kirkman

Shirley  
Eller

Joanna  
Parker

Tommy Newson  
"SAXIE"

A. O. Payne

Richard McKinney  
Marilyn Barnes

Margaret Keenan  
"Pee Wee"

Red Taylor

Rocky Humphrey  
Joanent

Betty Lawson

Larry Clifton

Harley Affelt

Joanne  
Burns  
Ma

Ann Wilburn

W. A. Hogan

Leonard Allen

Lon Dumas

Eddie Reid

H. L. Hardy

Georg Powers

Kathryn Saunders

Filmone Hugh Mrs. Cain Jr.

Shirley Clarke

Jackie Ward

Collins Johnson

"David Forrest"

June  
Dobson Windham  
Nancy Lee Christian  
Virginia Lee Price  
Paul Martin  
Mary Emma M. L.  
Red Lee Kirk  
Wilma Borgstrom  
Faye Bleuer  
Joe Rosenda  
Marjorie Jones  
Mary Ellen Watson  
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Donald Thomlinson  
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Richard Sander  
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Richard Lump  
James Armstrong  
Lucille Sweet  
Sue Hand  
Irvine Christian  
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Pat Humphrey  
Ruth Credle  
Julia L. Hardin  
Leona Jackson  
Joanne Bentham  
"Small" Vernon Jackson Jr.

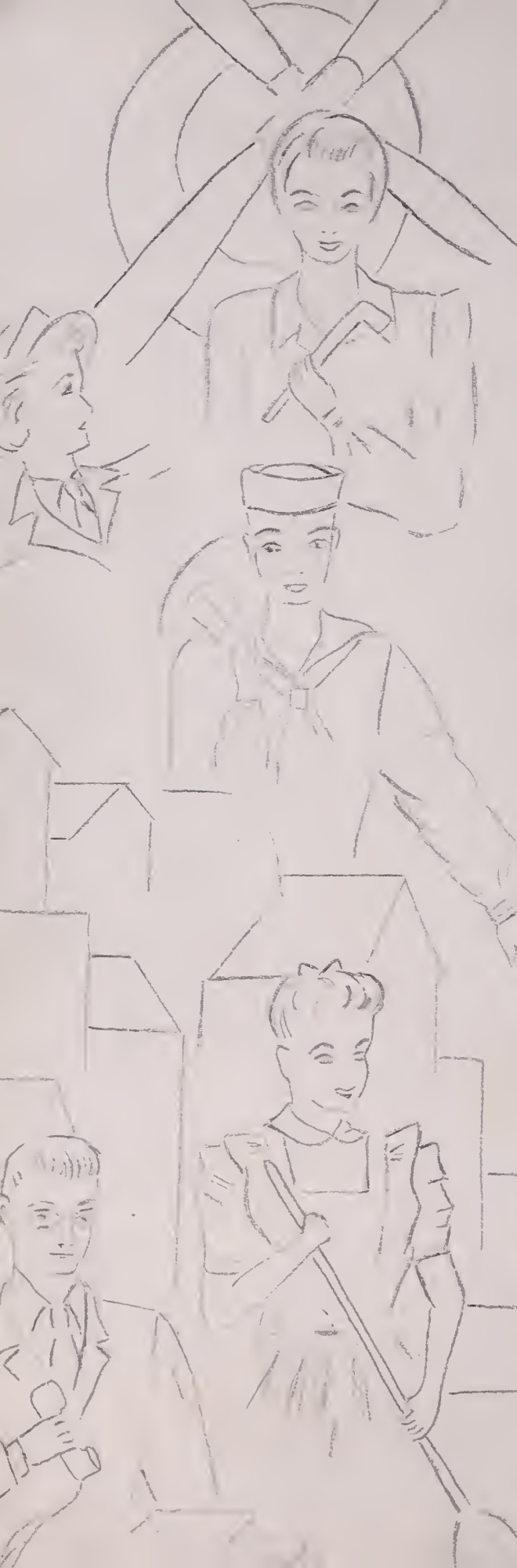
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Sincere appreciation for the guidance, service, and inspiration so  
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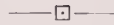
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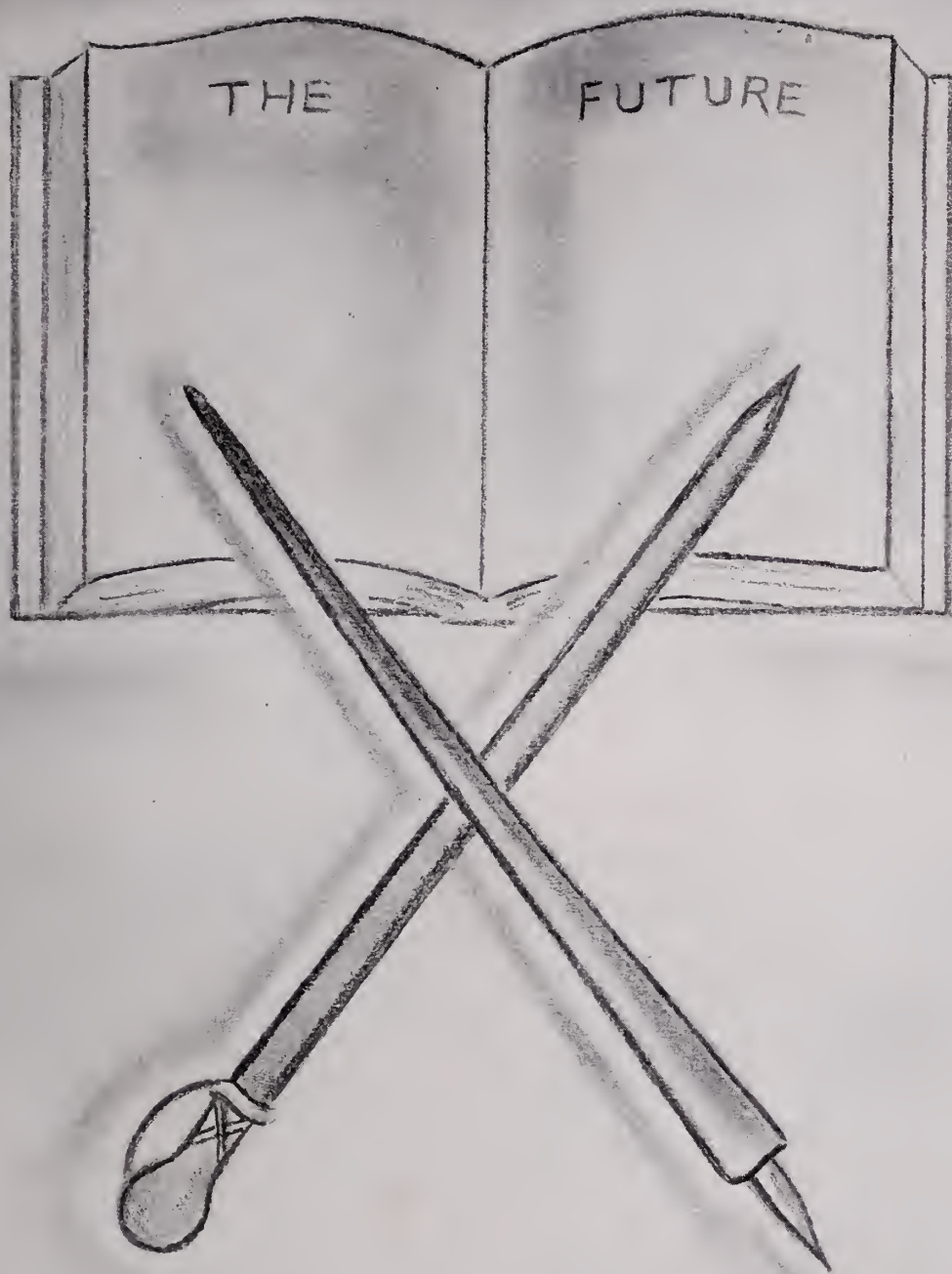


**T**URNING these pages and reviewing another year at Cradock High, we realize that this was not an ordinary year. Behind our school activities loomed always the ugly shadow of war. Our students went into the armed forces, the labor problem was brought home to us by the volunteer student janitor and cafeteria service that was necessary, and we were plagued with shortages of many things.

The following pages show education the American way—carrying out the American ideals of free speech, free thought and fulfillment of the desires of the majority. Youth builds for a better world—tomorrow.

When your school days have become distant but pleasant memories, we hope that this volume will help recall your glorious adventures of youth. May it bring back memories of friends, teachers and associates, and the golden hours of work and play which we have shared together.





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William and Mary

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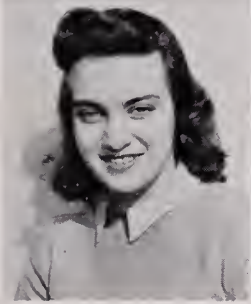
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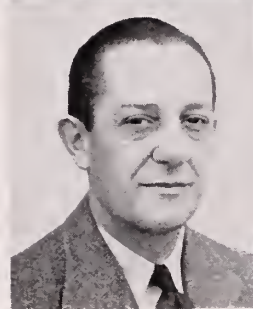
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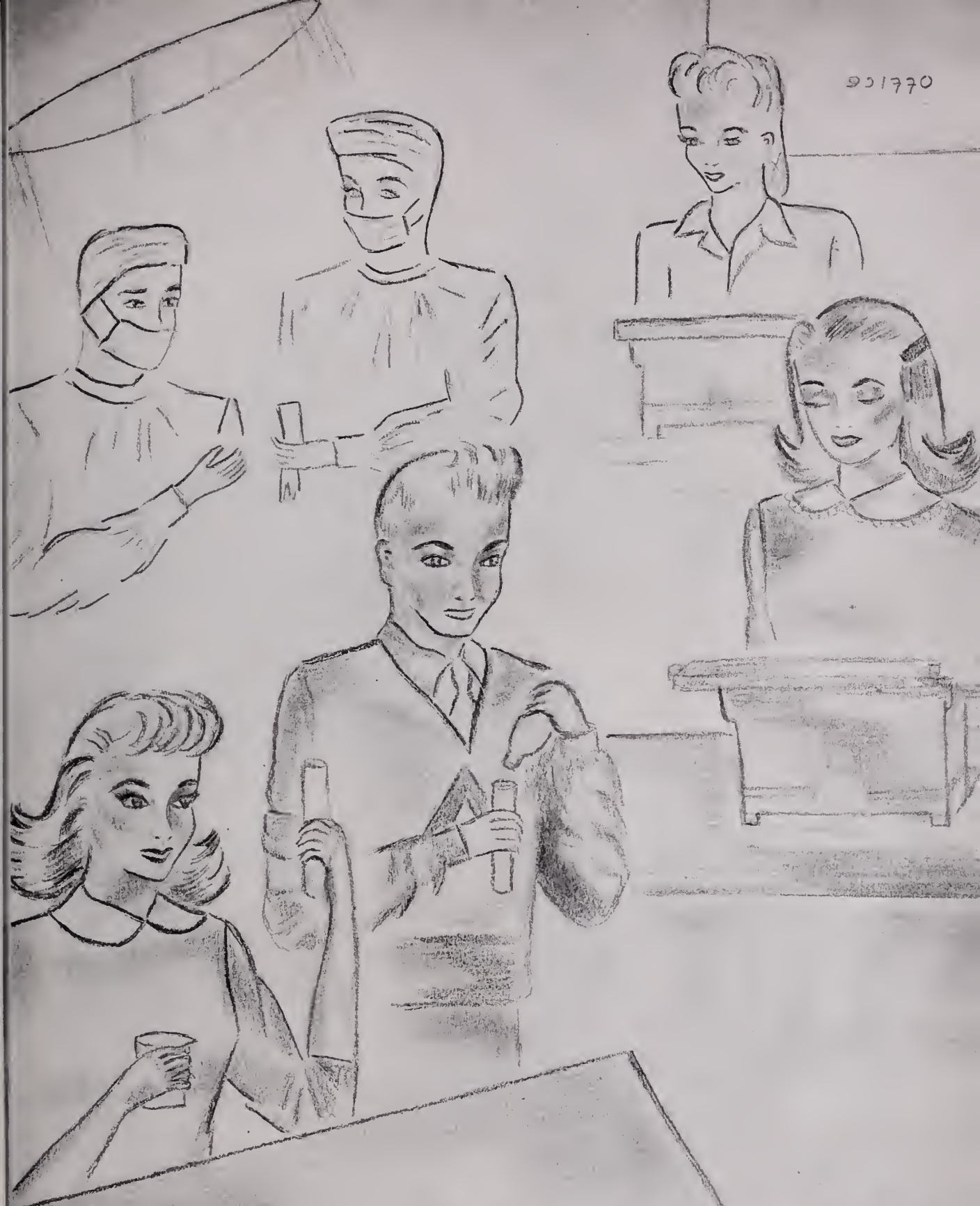
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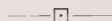




# CLASSES



## SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS

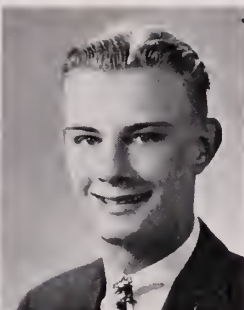


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*Motto:* "The past forever gone, the future still our own."

*Flower:* Red Rose

*Colors:* Red and White



MARGUERITE ADAMS

"Rita"

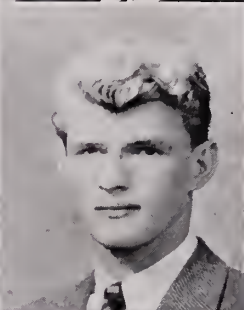
Good taste is the flower of good sense

*Mr. Hoga, I really have enjoyed attending grad school and I wish to thank you for your guidance and help.*

HARLEY PAUL AFFELDT

"Muscles"

Men of talent are men for occasions



JEAN HUMPHRIES ARMSTEAD

"Jean"

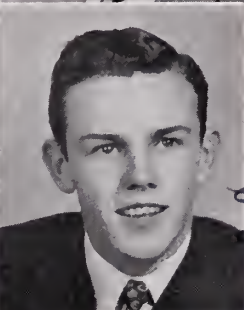
Be silent and safe, silence never betrays you

*Thanks for being our Principal*

EDWIN AUSTIN

"Eddie"

Lawoke one morning and found myself famous



MARION JEAN BARNES

"Barnsie"

A laugh is worth a hundred frowns

JAMES WEBB BAKER

"Jim"

Undisputably a handsome man

## SENIORS

MARILYN BARROW

"Trink"

Quiet, but always ready to help a friend

JAMES E. BRAITHWAITE, JR.

"Jimmy"

He was not in the hall of common men

DORIS JEAN BURNS

"Jean"

Best things come in the least packages

ROBERT L. BUTLER, JR.

"Shorty"

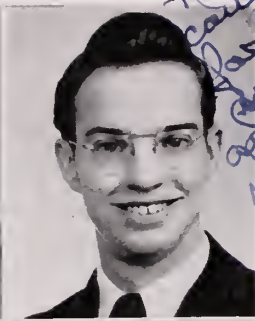
Better know nothing than half know many things



*Mr. Hoga, I've enjoyed attending C. H. S. and I'll miss you. I thank you for your guidance.*

*Mr. Hoga, I have enjoyed being my Principal throughout my high school career. Best of luck always, Jimmy*





JEAN CORNELIA CLINE

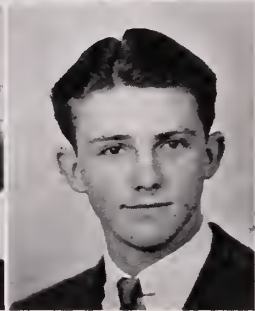
"Jeanie"

Fun loving, easy going, Jean

GEORGE N. CLARKE, JR.

"Geroge"

When boasting ends, then dignity begins



VIVIAN IRENE DALE

"Vicky"

Gives a good performance in all her undertakings

WILLIAM LAWRENCE

CLAXTON

"Larry"

His ability is his wealth

## SENIORS

ALICE DIXSON

"Teenie"

She hath a way

KERMIT LEE CUTCHINS

"Jake"

Jolly, good natured, and full of wit

ADA LOUISE DUNN

"Lou"

Her dark beauty is striking

HOWARD THOMAS FLEMING, JR.

"Einstein"

Much wisdom often comes with the fewest words

BILLIE DOVE FORREST

"Dovie"

She hath a daily beauty in her life

HERBERT FOSTER

"Herbie"

I say just what I think and nothing more



ANNA GIFT  
"Anna"

Cheerful looks make every dish a feast

DONALD DALE GENTZLER  
"Dale"

I never dare act as funny as I can

MARGARET GRATZ  
"Gratz"

You can cover a great deal of country  
in books

ROBERT STANLEY GRIMES  
"Casey"

A good laugh is sunshine in any house

JEAN HANRAHAN  
"Jean"

A well bred silence always at command

ROBERT HAWKINS  
"Bob"

Handsome guy, ought to give the girls  
a break

## CLASS OF '44

PATRICIA RUTH HENLEY  
"Pat"

A graceful figure is a pleasing letter of  
recommendation

RAYMOND CURTISS  
HOUTHTON  
"Ray"

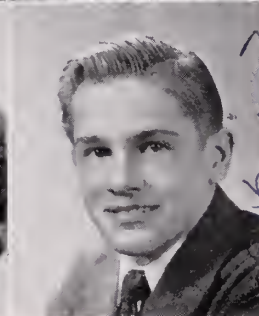
Without music life would be amistake

NE HOLLOWELL  
"Anne"

Tenets of the highest order

FRANCIS P. HUMPHREY  
"Pat"

Give me a million girls—one at a time



*I will  
miss  
you.  
I hope,  
best  
of luck  
in the  
future.  
Mr. Hagg  
I have  
enjoyed  
having you  
as my  
friend.  
You are  
well in  
out of school  
-Bob-*

*I will live  
C.H.S. through  
and through  
"Pat"*

*It's really been  
a pleasure to work  
with you. I'll  
miss you. I'll  
see you soon.  
Pat*

Mr. Hagg, its really been swell being with only a student of Colorado but a part of it. I've always admired you and always will remember you as a part of my life. Good luck, Shirley. Thank you for everything. Love, Tedde

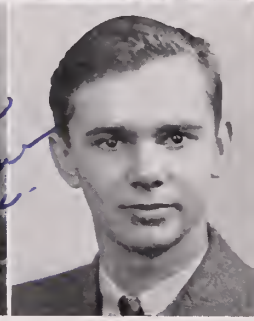
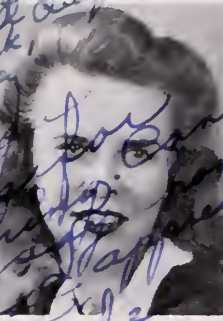


SHIRLEY HOUGHTON  
"Nickey"

So tiny, so graceful, and oh, so cute

RODNEY HUMPHREY  
"Rocky"

I will find a way, or make one



THERESA E. HOWELL  
"Tede"

She possessed a sense of humor

WILLIAM BURTON KLUTTZ, JR.  
"Bill"

I do not understand; I pause;  
I examine

# SENIORS

AUDREY HULL  
"Audrey"

She is seen more than she is heard

WILLIAM KOONTZ  
"Billy"

He adds a pleasant seeing to the eye

DORIS JAMES  
"Doris"

Doris is calm and quiet

Mr. Hagg, for the chance to have a fine time. Doris

RICHARD LEE LUMPP  
"Lumppy"

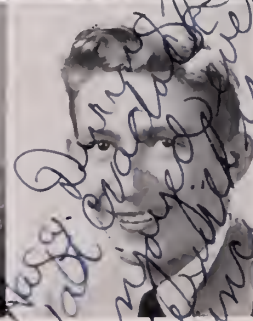
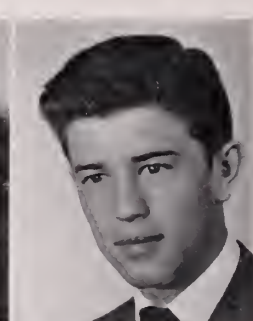
The more men think, the more they think

MAXINE JOHNSON  
"Mac"

A capable girl—athletically inclined

JAMES HAROLD MATTHEWS  
"Jimmy"

The world belongs to the energetic



Mr. Hagg, 5 years ago I had the privilege of being engaged to our principal's daughter. Jimmy



SYLVIA JOHNSON

"Dreamy"

She has dancing eyes and dancing feet

FILMORE H. MACCANN JR.

"Mac"

Ah, why should life all labor be?

JEANETTE KARAKO

"Jan"

Friendliness and good nature make  
her appealing

TOM W. MORGAN

"Tom"

Force is no remedy

MYRTLE E. KELLUM

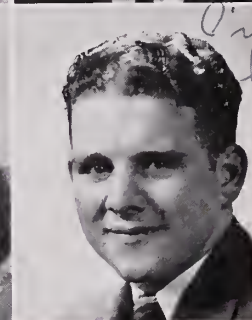
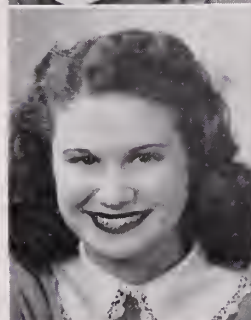
"Myrt"

Soft hair, on which light drops  
a diadem

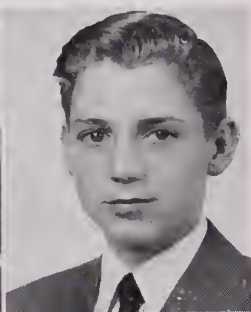
R. O. PAYNE

"R. O."

My only books are women's looks and  
how I love to study



## CLASS OF '44



BETTY LAWSON

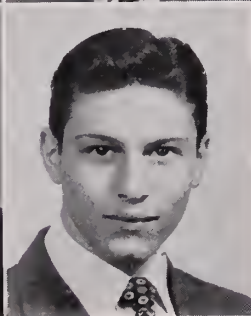
"Betty"

Give me love and work—these  
two only

ROBERT J. RIDGWAY, JR.

"Bobby"

He said little, but to the purpose



GEORGIE MAE LILES

"Georgie"

With a smile for everyone

PAUL C. RISH, JR.

"Batman"

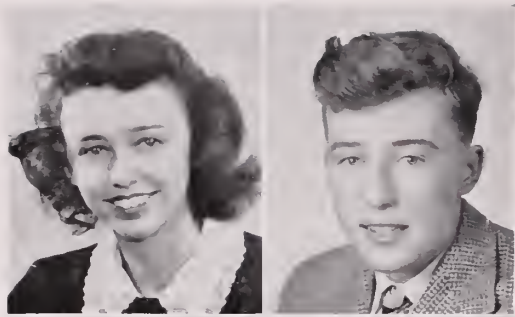
A little nonsense now and then

Mr. Morgan  
It certainly  
been swell  
going to  
Crooklock  
and having  
such a  
swell  
man  
as Principal  
Best of luck  
always  
Mac

I have enjoyed  
having you  
as a  
principal,  
R. O.

Mr. Morgan  
You have  
been all at  
us  
to me  
knowing  
but  
making  
them  
share  
with  
it  
the  
much  
students

St. John  
21  
St. John



SHIRLEY LUKE

"Shirley"

The very pink of courtesy

JOSEPH ROSENDALE

"Joe"

Better to blush than to turn pale



DORIS LEE MEARES

"Dottie Lee"

Her friends, they are many;  
Her foes, has she any?

JOHN EDWARD SCOTT, JR.

"Johnny"

Unlimited in his personality;  
Infinite in his ambitions

## SENIORS

MARY DOUGLAS MILLS

"Carolina"

Every virtue is more fair when it  
appears in a beautiful person

HAROLD TAYLOR

"Red"

Haste makes waste, so why hurry

GLORIA JANET OLSON

"Icy"

Whatever is popular deserves  
attention

ROBERT FORREST TAYLOR

"Bobby"

A likeable sort of a chap

EDITH MARIE OUTTEN

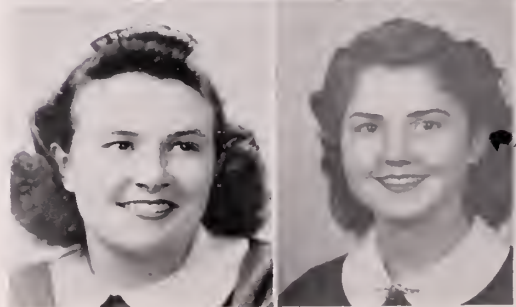
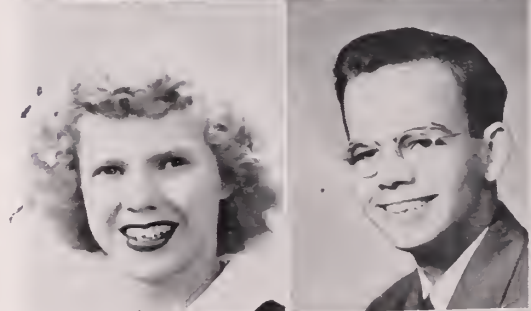
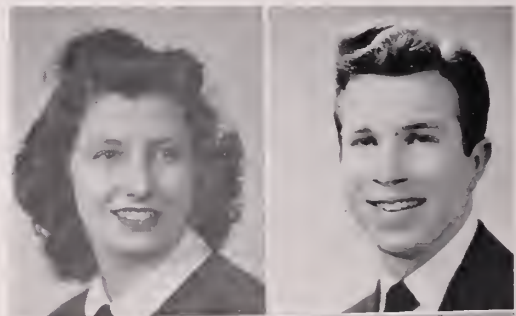
"Edie"

As sweet as she is sincere

JEAN WILLIS PARKER

"Jeanna"

Kindness in women shall win my love





SHIRLEE PARKER  
"Shirl"

The kind of a girl you look at twice

MARY IRENE POOLE  
"Skippie"

A willing helper who adds cheer to all  
she undertakes

CLARICE REEVES  
"Reice"

Happiness is in activity—  
Such was her nature

MARTHA RAE REID  
"Martha"

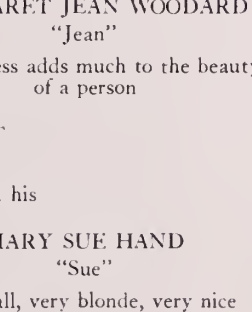
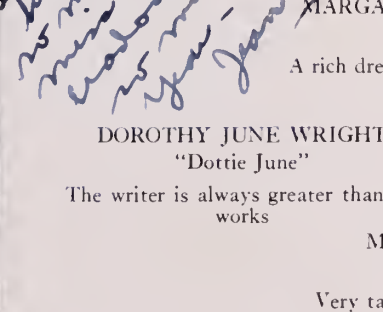
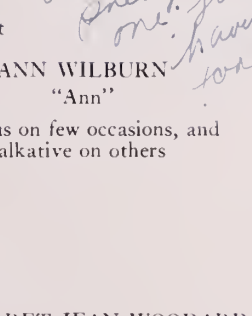
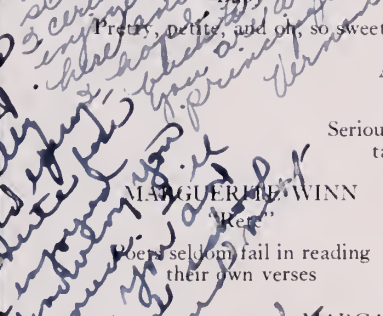
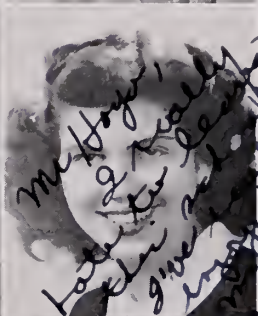
Little bit of spice, petite and nice

VERNON TABLER  
"Ver"

A quiet girl, but quite

MOLLIE WASLEY  
"Mollie"

To be awake is to be alive



DOROTHY JUNE WRIGHT  
"Dottie June"

The writer is always greater than his  
works

MARY SUE HAND  
"Sue"

Very tall, very blonde, very nice

Dear Mr. Hage,  
I sure will  
miss you next  
year. By all the  
principals say  
I've even had  
you one the  
best. Hope  
see you  
after school  
is out.  
Love,  
Dottie June

Mr. Hage,  
I certainly will  
miss seeing  
you. I hope  
you are  
happy and  
safe. Love,  
Shirlee

Mr. Hage,  
I will always  
remember  
broader as  
school I ever  
needed a change  
and you  
of the  
attended, as  
one of the  
principals  
B. H. Hage  
To be awake is to be alive

Mr. Hage,  
I'll never forget  
you. Love,  
D. H. Hage

Mr. Hage,  
I have enjoyed every  
minute I have attended  
your school. I  
love  
especially  
enjoyed  
your  
Lydia

Mr. Hage,  
I will  
always  
remember  
the  
school  
I enjoyed  
and  
love  
you. Love,  
Dottie June

Mr. Hage,  
I haven't  
been an  
angel. I came  
near being  
one. just by  
having a  
friend.  
Mollie

Mr. Hage,  
I really  
love  
you. Love,  
Dottie June

Mr. Hage,  
I will  
always  
remember  
the  
school  
I enjoyed  
and  
love  
you. Love,  
Dottie June

Mr. Hage,  
I certainly  
will miss  
not seeing  
you. I am  
going  
to do some  
visiting.  
Love,  
Dottie June

# MIGHTY SENIORS

- RITA ADAMS: Library Club—1 year, Treasurer of Junior Class, Publicity Committee—Council.
- HARLEY AFFELDT: Came from Cleveland, Ohio, Football—1 year, Senior Class Play, Dance Club—1 year, First Aid—1 year, Band—1 year.
- JEAN ARMISTEAD: Dramatics Club—1 year, First Aid—1 year, Home Nursing—1 year, Dance Club—1 year.
- EDDIE AUSTIN: Came from Shenandoah, President Student Council, Member—1 year, Football—5 years (Captain, 1942), Basketball—4 years, Track—1 year, Senior Play, Spring Revue, Annual Staff—1943, Bus Driver—1 year, Mr. Cradock Hi—1943, Debating Club—1 year, Dance Club—1 year, Baseball—4 years.
- JIM BAKER: Student Council—1 year, Basketball Manager—1 year, Safety Patrol Club—1 year.
- MARION BARNES: Glee Club—1 year.
- MARILYN BARROW: Home Economics Club—1 year.
- JIMMY BRAITHEWAITE: Came to Cradock from Granby High School—40, Safety Patrol Club—1 year, Dance Club—1 year, Bus Driver—1 year, Bus Conductor—1 year, Ministrel—1 year, Football—2 years, Glee Club—1 year.
- JEAN BURNS: Assistant Business Manager of the Shipmate—1 year, Business Manager—1 year, Feature Editor—1 year, Annual Staff—Club Ed., Maid of Honor 1942—Beauty Contest, Dramatic Club—2 years, Secretary Library Club—1 year, Vice-President War Efforts Committee—Council, Interior Decorating Committee—Council, "Spring Revue," First Aid Duty—1 year, Literary Club, Dance Club—1 year.
- ROBERT BUTLER: Wood Work.
- GEORGE CLARKE: Traffic Committee—Council, Class Motto Committee.
- LARRY CLAXTON: Came from California, Vice-President of Student Council—43, Associate Editor for Annual—1 year, Program Committee—43, President of Senior Class, Editor of Annual.
- JEAN CLINE: Statesville, N. C., Hi-Steppers Club, First Aid, Home Nursing, Student Council—43.
- KERMIT CUTCHINS: Football Manager—1 year, Dance Club—1 year.
- VIVIAN DALE: Business Manager of Shipmate—3 years, Publicity Committee—Council, Library Club—1 year, Dance Club—1 year, Cheerleader, Odds and Ends Ministrel, Senior Play, Literary Club, Freshman Basketball Team, Secretary of Junior Class, Treasurer of Student Council, Glee Club—1 year, Basketball Team—1 year.
- ALICE DIXON: Glee Club—1 year, Dance Club—1 year.
- LOUISE DUNN: Cheerleader—2 years, Sports Editor of Shipmate—1 year, Cafeteria Committee—Council, Interior Decorating Committee—Council, Basketball Team—1 year, Freshman Basketball Team, "Spring Revue," Fashion Show, First Aid—1 year, Home Nursing, Dance Club—1 year.
- HOWARD FLEMING: From Wilson in 1942, President of Freshman Class in Birmingham, Student Council—1 year, First Aid—1 year.
- BILLIE DOVE FOREST: Came from Hampton High School, Circulation Manager of Shipmate—1 year, Make-up-Editor—1 year, News and Editor—1 year, Circulation Manager of Annual, Cheerleader—1 year, Senior Play, Attendance Committee—Council, Odds and Ends Ministrel—1 year, Dance Club—1 year, Literary Club—1 year, Programs—1 year—43.
- HERBERT FOSTER: Library Club at Robert E. Lee High School, Lynchburg, Va., Intramural Basketball—1 year.
- DALE GENTZLER: Came from York, Pa., Basketball, Wrestling, Senior Hi-Y Club, President and Vice-President—Member—1 year.
- ANNA GIFT: Library Club—1 year, Glee Club—1 year, Baseball—1 year, First Aid—1 year, Home Nursing—1 year.
- MARGARET GRATZ: Came from New York, Art and Crafts—1 year, Baseball—2 years.
- STANLEY GRIMES: Treasurer of the Sophomore Class, Sergeant-at-Arms of the Junior Class.
- SUE HAND: Came from Panama, Basketball, Dramatics.
- JEAN HANRAHAN: Glee Club—1 year, Orchestra—1 year, Distributors Education Club—1 year, Baseball—1 year.
- ROBERT HAWKINS: New Nondon Academy, Community Basketball—1 year, Worked on the Office Force.
- PAT HENLEY: Basketball—1 year, President of Home Economics Club, Choral Club—1 year, In the Senior Plast Cast, Shipmate—1 year, Publicity Committee—1 year—Council, Worked in the Office—1 year.
- ANNE HOLLOWELL: Annual Staff (Art Editor), Publicity Committee—Council, Glee Club—1 year, Art Club—1 year.
- RAYMOND HOUGHTON: Glee Club—4 years, Chairman of Assembly Committee—Council, Dance Club—1 year, Vice-President of Senior Class, Treasurer of Freshman Class, Vice-President of Sophomore Class, Odds and Ends—3 years, Spring Revue, Football—2 years, Senior Play.
- SHIRLEY HOUGHTON: Cheerleader—2 years, Glee Club, Distributors Education Club—1 year, Odds and Ends Ministrel, President of Glee Club, "Spring Revue."
- THERESA HOWELL: Came from Claymont High, Belonged to Entertainment Organization, Library Club there.
- AUDREY HULL: Came from Wilson High, Distributors Education Club.
- ROCKY HUMPHREY: Came from California, Football—3 years, Basketball—3 years, Baseball—3 years, Activity Manager—Annual Staff, Boy's Sports Editor—Shipmate, Fire Control Committee, Bus Driver—1 year.
- PAT HUMPHREY: Came from California, Captain of Basketball—1 year, Basketball—3 years, Football—2 years, Baseball—3 years, Bus Driver—1 year, Dance Club—1 year, Ministrel—1 year.



SYLVIA JOHNSON: Basketball—4 years, Glee Club—3 years, Cheerleader—2 years, Sports Editor—Annual, Spring Revue, Odds and Ends Minstrel—2 years, Dance Club—1 year, Distributors Club—1 year.

MAXINE JOHNSON: From Boyden High School, Salisbury, N. C., Basketball—2 years, Baseball—2 years.

DORIS JAMES: Distributive Education.

JEANETTE KARAKO: Came from Oshkosh, Wisconsin, Distributors Education Club, Freshman Sport Club—Oshkosh, Wisconsin.

MYRTLE KELLAM: Glee Club—1 year, Dance Club—1 year, Newspaper Club—1 year, Odds and Ends Minstrel—1 year, First Aid Class, Freshman Basketball.

BILLY KLUTTZ: Stage Manager of Senior Play, Dance Club—1 year.

BILLY KOONTZ: Came from Shenandoah, Football—1 year, Basketball—1 year, Baseball—1 year.

BETTY LAWSON: Came from Florida, Book Club, Glee Club, Distributors Education Club.

GEORGIE LILES: Assistant Circulation Manager on Shipmate, Safety Patrol—1 year, Attendance Committee—Council, Glee Club—1 year, Baseball—1 year, Dance Club—1 year, "Spring Revue."

SHIRLEY LUKE: Distributors Education Club, Glee Club—1 year.

RICHARD LUMPP: Senior Class Play, Dramatics Club, Dance Club.

JIMMY MATTHEWS: Baseball—3 years, Basketball—1 year, First Aid—1 year, Sports Editor of the Annual.

MAC McCAIN: Football—3 years, Captain of the Football team in 1943, Basketball—1 year, Minstrel—1 year, Bus Driver—3 years, Student Council—1 year.

DORIS MEARES: Came to Cradock from Wilson High School, Treasurer of the Senior Class, Secretary and Treasurer of the Distributor Education Club, Basketball Player—1 year, Cheerleader—1 year.

MARY DOUGLAS MILLS: Came from Statesville High School, Junior Dramatic Club, Glee Club, Latin Club, Basketball, "Spring Revue," Hi-Y Club—1 year.

TOM MORGAN: Aeronautics Class.

GLORIA OLSON: Student Council—3 years, Secretary in 1944, Advertising Manager of Annual, Glee Club—2 years, Shipmate News Editor—1 year, Dramatic Club—2 years, Assembly Program Committee—Council, Secretary Freshman Class, Odds and Ends Minstrel—1 year, Spring Revue, Senior Song Writer, Cheerleader—1 year, First Aid Class—1 year, Dance Club—1 year, Play "Pink and Patches," Literary Club—1 year, Freshman Basketball, Senior Play.

EDITH MARIE OUTTEN: Glee Club—2 years, Library Club—2 years, Publicity Committee—1 year—Council, Office Assistant—1 year.

JEAN PARKER: Glee Club—4 years, Basketball.

SHIRLEE PARKER: Basketball—1 year, Student Council—3 years, Library Club—1 year, Shipmate—1 year, Choral Club—1 year, Vice-President of Junior Class, Secretary Senior year, Chairman of Publicity—Council, Worked on Office Force—1 year.

R. O. PAYNE: Football—2 years, Baseball—1 year, Basketball—1 year, Airplane Model Club—1 year, Bus Conductor—1 year, Dance Club—1 year.

IRENE POOLE: Came from Raleigh, N. C., in 1941, 4-H Club—3 years, Glee Club—2 years, Basketball—1 year, Softball—2 years.

CLARICE REEVES: Came from North Carolina, Basketball—2 years, Social Committee—Council, Business Manager Annual Staff, First Aid, Giftorian, "Spring Revue," Dance Club, Prompter for Senior Play.

MARTHA REID: Glee Club—2 years.

BOBBY RIDGWAY: Quietist in Senior Class.

PAUL RISH: Football—1 year, Senior Class Motto Committee, Senior Play, Stage Hand, Dance Club—1 year.

JOE ROSENDALE: Football—1 year, Basketball—1½ years, Dance Club—1 year.

JOHNNY SCOTT: Basketball—2 years, Football—1 year, Baseball—1 year, Senior Play, Student Council—1 year, Dance Club—1 year, Patrol Club—1 year, First Aid Class—1 year.

VERNON TABLER: Home Economics Club.

BOBBY TAYLOR: Basketball—4 years, Baseball—2 years, Dance Club.

RED TAYLOR: Football—1 year, Basketball—1 year, Baseball—3 years, President of the Sophomore Class, Chairman of the Finance Committee—Council.

MOLLIE WASLEY: Glee Club—5 years, Senior Play.

LYDIA WELSTEAD: Came from Deep Creek, Glee Club, Dramatic Club, Halcala Club, Library Club, Vice-President of Freshman Class.

ANN WILBURN: From Wilson High, Science Club—1 year, Reporter on School paper, Chairman of the Cafeteria Committee—Council, First Aid, Home Nursing, Glee Club—1 year.

MARGUERITE WINN: S. C. Representative—1 year, Finance Committee—Council, Wrote Class Poem, Dance Club—1 year, Dramatic Club—1 year, Literary Club, Choral Club, Newspaper Staff.

JEAN WOODARD: Choral Club—1 year, Circulation Manager—1 year, Managing Editor of Shipmate—1 year, Odds and Ends Minstrel—1 year, "Spring Revue," Dramatic Club—1 year, Miss Cradock High, Art Editor of the Annual, Dance Club—1 year, Literary Club—1 year.

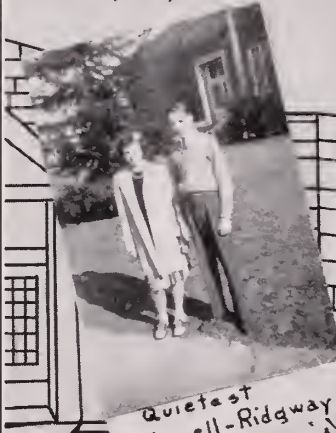
DOROTHY JUNE WRIGHT: Secretary of Sophomore Class in 1942, Feature Editor of Shipmate—1 year, Managing Editor of Shipmate—1 year, Editor-in-Chief of the Shipmate—1 year, Assistant Editor of Annual, Student Council—1 year, Dramatic Club—1 year, Historian Senior Class, War Efforts Committee—Council, Odds and Ends Minstrel—1 year, Dance Club—1 year, Literary Club—1 year.



# CAMPUS PER



Best All Around  
P. Humphrey - Dale



Quietest  
Hollowell - Ridgway



Best Looking  
Baker - Mills



To Succeed  
Wright - Claxton



Dignified  
Clarke - J. Parker



Lowest  
Barnes - Payne



Athletic  
M. Johnson - Austin



Bluffers  
Welstead - Rish



Pets  
R. Houghton - Olson



Pop  
Claxton

# PERSONALITIES



Stydious  
Henley - Fleming



Best Dressed  
H. Taylor - Woodard



Flirts  
R. Houghton - Kellam



Laziest  
Wasley - McCain



Happiest  
Reeves - Butler



Wittiest  
Winn - P. Humphrey



Conceited  
R. Humphrey - Dunn



Best Dancers  
S. Johnson - P. Humphrey



Cotest  
S. Houghton - Koontz



arker





WINN

Far into the blue above  
We gaze upon one star,  
And then collect our memories  
Of High School days we saw.

The hopes and joys of carefree life,  
The planning of the years,  
Are all as one within our minds,  
While smiling through the tears.  
Tomorrow brings a bright new dawn  
In which we all shall rise,  
And start our lives anew—apart,  
With eager, hopeful eyes.

The laughter of the present day,  
The scarcity of tears,  
Will linger in our memories,  
Through the coming years.  
The pleasing smiles and joyful eyes,  
And minute heartbreaks now,  
Will all unite within our minds,  
And form a broken bough.

Along with play we work and think  
To help our future plan,  
To help us gain the only goal  
That is so dear to man.

There is no worry stopping us,  
And clouding not a brain,  
There is no grief that hinders us,  
Or nothing sound nor sane.

But all within our thumping hearts  
Is happiness galore,  
And all behind our gleeful grins  
We smile as ne'er before.  
So light inside and carefree still  
We wonder down the road,  
The one that seems to lead so far,  
And carries not a load.

Our hopes so high and floating now,  
Ambition heads the way,  
With all its glory flowing on,  
And seemingly will say:  
"I am a Star, the righteous beam,  
That beckons you to start,  
Upon the journey to success,  
And open wide your heart."

And on and on it tears and pricks  
Upon the tightened seams,  
The ones that hide within our hearts,  
And bind our hidden dreams.

MARGUERITE WINN.



HOUGHTON  
*Charge*



REEVES  
*Gifts*



CLAXTON  
*Will*



OLSON

## Adieu

(ANNIE LISLE)

Now the parting time draws near,  
Tear-drops fill my eyes;  
Many things I'll leave behind me—  
Friends and friendship ties.  
Mem'ries linger, always with me,  
Everyone a jewel;  
Stay a living, flaming symbol.  
My beloved school.

Books and paper, pens and pencils,  
Laid aside you'll be;  
Thank you, teachers, for the guidance  
You have given me.  
Always in my recollections,  
'Til the day I die;  
Don't forget me, Alma Mater,  
So, for now, good-bye.

GLORIA OLSON.





## CLASS PLAY



THE SENIOR CLASS OF CRADOCK HIGH SCHOOL

PRESENTS

### ***"Professor How Could You"***

School Auditorium

Friday, March 31, 1944

ACT I—In the living room of the Perrys  
 ACT II—Same  
 ACT III—Same  
 TIME: The Present  
 PLACE: In a small college town

#### CAST

PROFESSOR KEATS.....	Raymond Houghton
VICKY RANDOLPH.....	Gloria Olson
GRANDPA PERRY.....	Richard Lumpp
GRANDMA PERRY.....	Vivian Dale
JOHN APPLEBY.....	Eddie Austin
BOGGINS.....	Johnny Scott
PRISCILLA MORLEY.....	Billie Dove Forrest
VALERIE WHITMAN.....	Pat Henley
TOOTSIE BEAN.....	Mellie Wasley
BUTCHER BOY BEAN.....	Harley Affeldt

*Ushers*—Edith Marie Outten, Vernon Tabler, Sylvia Johnson, Irene Poole

*Tickets*—Jean Cline, Lydia Welstead



## CLASS HISTORY OF '44

**F**OUR YEARS—practically a life time of schedules, classes, meetings, office calls, dances, sports, work, play, laughter, tears.

When we think back, it seems impossible that all those have been crowded into our busy, rushed lives. Can we ever forget that day in September, 1940, when we found ourselves standing in the center hall—bewildered, excited, a little afraid.

At first we were just so many loose ends, but afterwards we elected Bobby Parker, president; Gloria Olson, vice-president; Sidney Cutchins, secretary and Raymond Houghton, treasurer.

Then we were sophomores. Just a year of fun and frolic. Red Taylor was elected president; Raymond Houghton, vice-president; Dorothy Wright, secretary, and Stanley Grimes, treasurer.

We returned in the fall of '42—Juniors, with the job of the Junior-Senior on our shoulders. Bill Harris became our president; Shirlee Parker, vice-president; Vivian Dale, secretary, and Marguerite Adams, treasurer. The Junior-Senior Prom was our big night and we proved to the Seniors that we loved them all and would be sorry to see them leave.

We saw the Seniors graduate and with reminiscent hearts, we sat listening to them bid farewe'll, realizing that we were Seniors.

Then, suddenly, it was our year. We were at the helm, and frightened to think so many people depended on us.

We chose Larry Claxton president; Raymond Houghton, vice-president; Shirlee Parker, secretary, and Doris Meares, treasurer.

Seniors we were, and we proved that to the Freshmen and newcomers with the annual Supreme Court affair.

Our big heartbreak of the year was losing the championship in football, but we came through with county championships in boys' and girls' basketball.

Then came the time to elect our ADMIRAL staff, remembering we had a big task before us, the Seniors of '43 had won Class B Literary Honors. But with Larry editor we knew our goal was not far.

Seniors then proved their acting ability by producing a fine three act comedy, "Professor, How Could You!"

We turned back the pages and on April 3rd we were babies again.

On May 5th, we became the honored guests of the Junior class at the Prom. With much ado we called off our feud and enjoyed ourselves immensely.

We cannot say that our high school years ended suddenly—all through the past year there have been "last times" for us, and we knew it was nearly over. Memories of the years hold special meaning to each of us. We shall always remember such things as the Norview football game, History IV, Baby Day, Senior election days, Lt. Grimes, our hero—and many other incidents far too numerous to mention.

To write a story of our years at Cradock is not for one person to do. For each individual high school holds its own meanings, accomplishments, joys, sorrows, and highlights and we know that for each member of the Class of '44 their story is written in their minds.

We have grown in many ways through classes and association with our teachers, we have fitted ourselves intellectually for broader development. Four years have given each of us through contact with our friends, cherished bits of that which we may call our philosophy of life.

In leaving we feel that no knowledge could make us happier than that somewhere, in the heart of a friend, each of us has left some small part of himself, his ideas or thoughts, that will prove as helpful as those we have received.

The Senior Banquet, the Baccalaureate Sermon, the Burial, Class night, and Commencement—it will all be over. The trust, the honor, and the challenge of "carrying on" we leave to the Seniors of '45.

DOROTHY WRIGHT, *Historian*.

## CLASS HONORS



GLORIA OLSON  
*Valedictorian*



MARGUERITE ADAMS  
*Salutatorian*

## HONOR STUDENTS



These honor students are those students whose grades average eighty-eight or above for three and one-half years of high school.

VIVIAN DALE

BILLIE DOVE FORREST

MARGARET GRATZ

AUDREY HULL

JEAN PARKER

SHIRLEY PARKER

CLARICE REEVES

JEAN WOODARD

PATSY HENLEY

DOROTHY WRIGHT

LARRY CLAXTON

HARLEY AFFELDT

HOWARD FLEMMING

ROBERT HAWKINS

RAYMOND HOUGHTON

RODNEY HUMPHREY

JIMMY MATTHEWS

JOHNNY SCOTT



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## Society

Mrs. Philip G. Bartley and her husband, Comdr. Bartley, of San Francisco, Calif., the former Miss Patricia Henley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Henley, left for Bermuda Saturday. They will tour Europe before returning to the States.

Mrs. Earl Williams, of Hollywood, Calif., the former Miss Edith Outten, is secretary to Miss Louise Dunn, star of a forthcoming play production.

Mrs. Harry Hanrahan, the former Miss Georgie Mae Liles, left for Statesville, N. C., where she will spend a few weeks before returning to Florida.

Miss Martha Ried was married to Hamilton Oliver Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Oliver left for New York, where they will spend a few weeks before returning to Portsmouth. They will reside in Westhaven.

Miss Mary Douglas Mills has just finished at Mitchell College in Statesville, N. C. She is spending a short vacation with her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Woodard of 15 Oak St., Cradock, announce the engagement of their daughter Margaret Jean, to Captain Rodney Humphrey, of the U. S. Army Air Corps. The wedding will take place in June.

Misses Myrtle Kellam and Alice Dixon were entertained by their friends at the Monticello

## Politics

Richard Lump, favorite political son of West Virginia, and youngest governor of the state, has inaugurated a series of reforms in suffrage. Mr. Lump is preparing to be a senator.

Hotel April 1. They are enroute to New York, where they will attend Powers Model School.

Mrs. R. O. Payne, II, is visiting her son, R. O. Payne, III, who is Chief Scout Executive in Washington.



SHIRLEE PARKER, *Editor*

## Local

A convention of the chief telephone operators was held in New York Friday. Misses Adams and Howell, of the Portsmouth District, were present at the meeting. They have installed progressive methods in this area.

Misses Margaret Gratz, Molly Wasley, and Vernon Tabler attended Kee's Business College last year. They are now working in the Navy Yard as Senior Typists.

Misses Marion Barnes and Sue Hand who went to Drake's Business College last year, are now working in Dale & Dale Law Offices, in Philadelphia, Pa.

Mr. Fillmore McCain, known as "Mac," has been promoted to Head Ambulance Driver and Chief Engineer of the Cradock Fire Department. Mrs. McCain,

the former Miss Dorothy Wright, stated that Mr. McCain is striving hard to improve the conditions of the fire department here.

Mr. Stanley Grimes and Robert Ridgeway were promoted to Leading Men in the Navy Yard last week.

Misses Audrey Hull, manager of the Barbara Stone Stores here, and Jean Hanrahan, her assistant, have just returned from a trip to New York, bringing with them many of the latest styles, which will be appearing in their store soon. Miss Jeanette Karoko, manager of Leggett's Department Store, accompanied them.

Misses Ann Gift and Betty Lawson announce the opening of their Beauty Shop in Portsmouth and Norfolk. They studied at the exclusive "Madamoisells" School of Beauty Culture.

Miss Ann Wilburn, the famous clothes designer, announces the opening of her shop in Washington.

Miss Jean Burns, Chief Stewardess on Eastern Airlines, "China Clipper," has just returned from abroad.

Portsmouth's own "Red" Skeleton, Pat Humphrey, left Monday for Hollywood. Miss Marguerite Winn will write his jokes and scripts.

## Foreign

Jim Baker, well known newspaper reporter here, interviewed Col. Gardiner who led the noted bomber squadron on its mission over Hitler's estate in March. Col. Gardiner was quoted as saying "The bombing mission was very successful and with our boys doing such good work this will soon be over."

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## Local

Jimmie Braithwaite, former Cradock High bus driver, made the headlines today, as he is the first bus driver to take his Greyhound Bus over the new Alaskan Highway.

"Sweetheart of the Service Men," Miss Shirley Houghton, announces the opening of Portsmouth's own "Stage Door Canteen" tonight. Miss Houghton is well known in the entertainment world for her singing and dancing.

More than 10,000 people were present at the launching of the aircraft carrier U. S. S. United States. Mrs. Norwood King, the former Miss Doris Meares, was the sponsor at the launching.

Lt. Robert Butler, known as the tallest boy of Cradock Hi in '44, has returned to West Virginia before returning to his unit in Texas.

Dr. Vivian Dale, world famous psychologist, is now a member of the staff at Bellevue Hospital in New York. Her associates are anticipating much progress since Dr. Dale's advent to the hospital. Miss Lydia Welstead will be the Dr.'s. new assistant.

Miss Jean Parker was appointed head supervisor at King's Daughters' Hospital last week. Associated with her is head nurse, Miss Marilyn Barrow.

Misses Jean Cline and Maxine Johnson, graduates of Cradock High in '44, are now in the Army Nurses Corps. The two young ladies finished their training at Duke University.

Cure for the dreaded sleeping disease has been discovered by Miss Shirley Luke, Red Cross Nurse. Misses Doris James and Irene Poole volunteered to help Miss Luke with her work.

## Army and Navy

Paul Rish has been promoted to First Officer in the Maritime Service. He has just returned from an extended trip to European countries.

Second Lt. Dale Gentzler has just been promoted to First Lt. Lt. Gentzler received his training at Miami Beach, Florida.

Lts. Larry Claxton, Harley Affeldt, Robert Hawkins and William Koontz were awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross at a ceremony in Washington today.

Harold Taylor and Herbert Foster were presented with the Purple Heart, and a citation from the President.

William Klutzz, who finished his military training at V.M.I. last year, is now a commissioned officer stationed in Miami, Florida. He is now training civilians for the army.

First Lt. Clarice Reeves is home on leave after seeing action in the Samoa area. She is serving with the Navy Nurses Corps.

## Art and Music

Raymond Houghton, better known as "Frank Sinatra, 2nd," has just signed a movie contract with MGM. His first picture will be "Singing for a Living."

The \$1,000 prize for the best architectural design in U. S. was won today by George N. Clarke, Jr., of Portsmouth, Va. The contest was held in Washington.

One of Earl Carroll's newest and best dancers is Miss Sylvia Johnson of Portsmouth. Miss Johnson signed a contract with Carroll first of March.

Misses Anne Hollowell and Jean Armstead have finished

## College

From Georgia Tech comes the news of the ability of John Scott and Tobert Taylor in basketball, football, etc. They were known as the two best co-captains in the history of the school. Both of the boys are doing post graduate work there.

Cradock is well represented in the staff at Notre Dame this year. Howard Flemming is teaching Math, Kermit Cutchins and Jimmy Matthews are coaching the boys.

Miss Billie Dove Forrest has just finished Law School in New York. She will open an office on Wall Street. Miss Forrest has had special training in Juvenile Delinquency cases and hopes to do this work in New York.

## Sports

Guest of honor at one of the largest banquets in the history of Duke University, was Eddie Austin, the best known football player in the States.

Tom "Strong Man" Morgan will challenge Joe "Angel Face" Rosendale in the Norfolk Fighting arena Saturday night at 8:00. The sports writers give each man a 50-50 chance. Although both men have been idle for two weeks the simon-pure sockers have been in strenuous training.

The famous Minnesota wonder, Bruce Smith, coach of Minnesota is leaving soon for service with the FBI. Miss Gloria Olson, girls' coach at Minnesota, expects to take over his job when he leaves.

their course in art school and will take up their work in New York.

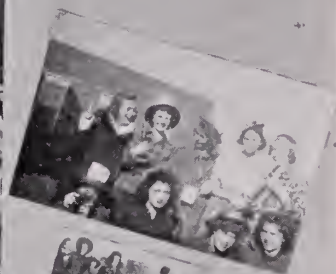


# SENIORS YOUNG





# SENIORS GAY





*It is a very nice picture of  
 the class of 1945  
 in the year 1945*

*The class of 1945  
 in the year 1945*

CLASS OF '45



*Mr. Page  
I've enjoyed  
having you for  
a principal.  
I wish  
you all the best  
of luck.*



CLASS OFFICERS

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### MEMBERS

#### Boys

BRITT, EDGAR  
BUSHNELL, GENE  
BLANKENSHIP, BILLY  
CARTER, GRAHAM  
CARUTHERS, JIMMY  
CAUSEY, PAUL  
CHAPMAN, WILSON  
CHRISTIAN, IRWIN  
CROW, GENE  
CRULL, JIMMY  
CURTIN, SIDNEY  
DIBBLE, DALE  
DOMME, GERALD  
DOXEY, ROBERT  
EDWARDS, BILL

FOLTZ, CLAUDE  
HAINES, WALTER  
HUMPHREY, DAVID  
HUTCHINS, NELSON  
JENKENS, JIMMY  
JOHNSTON, EARL  
JORDAN, STANLEY  
KARAKO, GERALD  
LOHMAN, BILL  
MATTHEWS, HUBERT  
MATTHEWS, TUCKER  
MONAGHAN, JIMMY  
TEMPLES, WALTER  
MORGAN, LESLIE  
NEWSOM, TOMMY

OLIVER, ALEX  
PETERSON, TOMMY  
POWERS, GEORGE  
REID, EDWARD  
REIGHARD, RONALD  
ROBERTSON, LLOYD  
ROBERTSON, RICHARD  
RYALS, JACK  
SIMONS, WHARTON  
SIMPSON, JOE  
SIMPSON, RAY  
STANDON, WILLIAM  
TEMPLES, WALTER  
WARD, RONNIE  
WILLIAMS, KENNETH

#### Girls

BACHUS, EVELYN  
BARGERSTOCK, VILMA  
BASS, NORMA  
BATTEN, MARY  
BECKER, BETTY  
BORTLE, PHYLLIS  
BOYKIN, MARY  
BOURDON, LUCY  
BUNCH, MARGUERITE  
CLARKE, SHIRLEY  
COLE, MARION  
COLLINS, ILA  
CREECY, MARGARET  
DERBY, LOTTIE  
DOUGLAS, LUCILLE

DYCUS, SHIRLEY  
ELLER, SHIRLEY  
EMORY, BETTY  
GRIM, MARY  
HARRINGTON, PHYLLIS  
HEANS, PEGGY  
HOFFMAN, PAT  
HOPEWELL, SUE  
HOWELL, DOROTHY  
JOHNSON, AUDREY  
JOHNSON, COLLEEN  
MANTLO, GLORIA  
MARTIN, GENEVA  
MARTIN, LOUISE  
MCCAIN, MARION  
MULLINS, MARY

PORTER, ROSE LEE  
RIDGWAY, DOROTHY  
RIFFLE, MYRTLE  
RUSSELL, DOROTHY  
RUSSELL, MAVIS  
SAUNDERS, KATHERINE  
SCLATER, BETTY  
SHUMAKER, NORMA  
SMITH, PEGGY  
STOWE, KITTY  
TROUT, DORIS  
TURIN, MELANIE  
TYSON, DANA  
WARD, JACKIE  
WINN, BERTIE

*Mr. Page  
I don't know  
how to tell you  
and how much I like you  
all you've done for me  
you are one swell  
fellow and I wish you  
all the luck in the  
world.  
your friend  
Wilson*





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FOWLER, BETTY			



Good luck.  
to the best of friends  
to a fine man

Good luck  
to a very  
nice principal

Best wishes  
to a good  
principal and  
a very  
nice  
man

Stanley Grainger



CLASS OF '47





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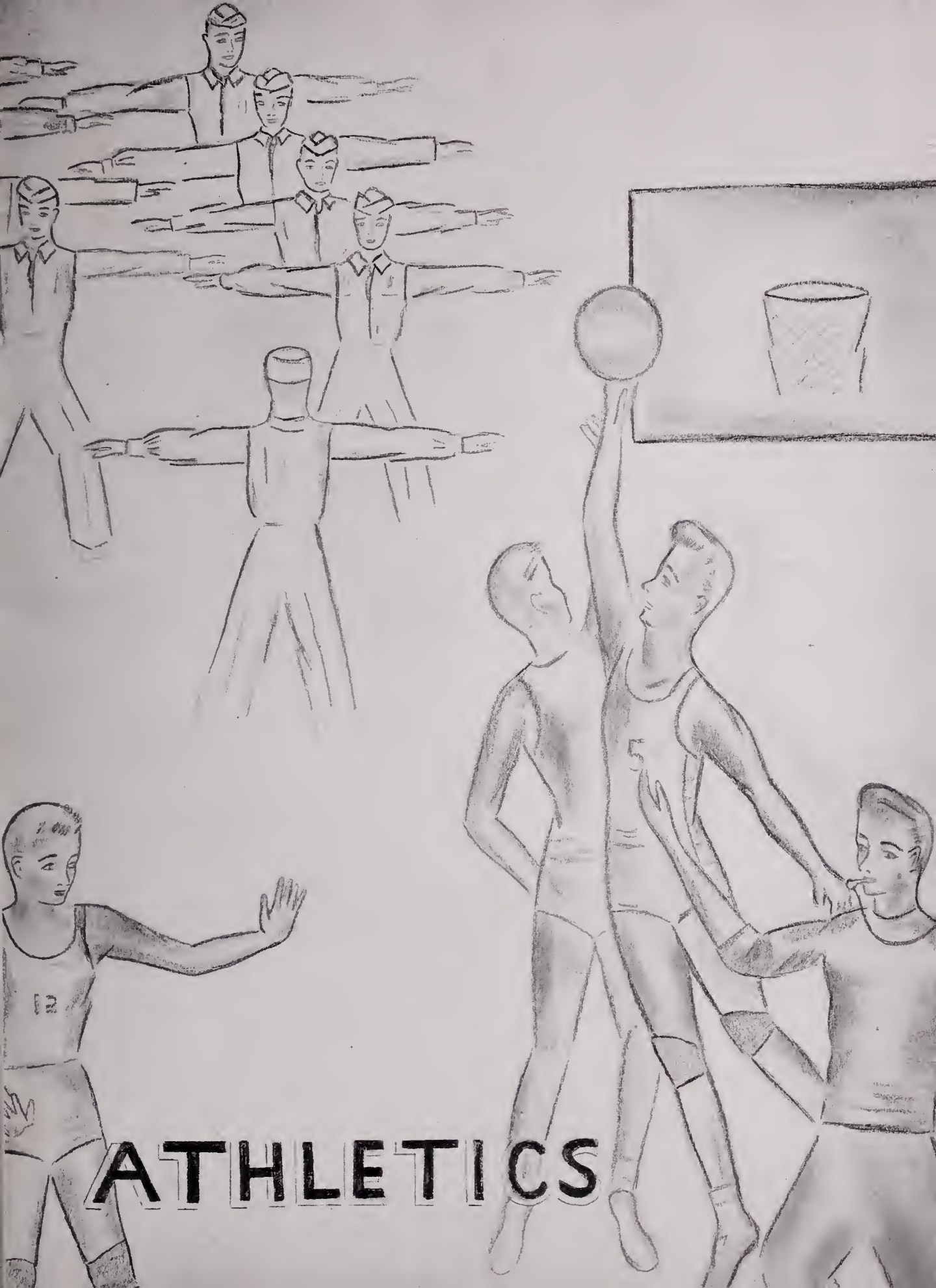


## LEST WE FORGET



Many of the students who trod Cradock High's halls in the classes of '43 and '44 have gone into the armed services. To these boys, those in the service prior to '43 and those who will leave after the Admiral goes to press—we send our best wishes for success—and victory.

James Bushnell.....	Army
Charlie Gilmore.....	Army Air Corps
John Kirkman.....	Navy
Russell Hanrahan.....	Army
Johnny Lumsden.....	Navy
Charlie Knowles.....	Marine Corps
Bud Moorehead.....	Marine Corps
Dan Paris.....	Army
George Quinn.....	Navy
Paul Russell.....	Marine Corps
Bad Robinson.....	Navy
George Schwab.....	Army
Tom Shortridge.....	Army
Erskine White.....	Army
Earl Williams.....	Army
Bill Harris.....	Navy
Richard Johnson.....	Navy
Johnny Morrison.....	Navy
Earl Russell.....	Navy
Frank Thompson.....	Army
Clair Vredenburg.....	Army
Johnny Gibbs.....	Merchant Marine
Henry Grimes.....	Navy
Walter Lohman.....	Navy
Don Barham.....	Navy
George Mutter.....	Army
Elbert Williams.....	Air Force Reserve
Harley Affeldt.....	Enlisted Reserve
Rodney Humphrey.....	Enlisted Reserve
Richard Lump.....	Enlisted Reserve
Mac McCain.....	Enlisted Reserve
Harold Taylor.....	Enlisted Reserve
Robert Butler.....	Enlisted Reserve
Dale Gentzler.....	Enlisted Reserve
Walter Temples.....	Enlisted Reserve



# ATHLETICS





KOONTZ B



ROSENDALE E



WATSON C



PAYNE G

NOV 6 CRADOCK 13

SUFFOLK 12

OCEANA 6



SCOTT T

CRADOCK 25



TAYLOR B



MATTHEWS B

OCT 15



HOUGHTON



DUNN



COLE



OLSON



AUSTIN E



JOHNSON

NOV. 19 CRADOCK 12

HAMPTON



COACH HOGAN



CHAPMAN CO. CAPT.

OCT. 1 CRADOCK 19

SOUTH NORFOLK

Have enjoyed having you as a friend! Hope you will be back next year. \*Pickles



LOHMAN B



BRAITHWAITE B



BLANKS

SEPT. 17  
CRADOCK 0  
GRANBY 31



STANDING



CHARLES E

19

OCT 29

CRADOCK 7



AFFELDT T

CRADOCK 6



R HUMPHREY B

NORVIEW 18

*Good luck to  
a fine man &  
principal.  
Paul.*



RISH E



MORRISON B  
CARTER B



CORLEY C



CAUSEY T

DEEP



HOUGHTON E



SCLATER

OCT 23 CRADOCK 47



FORREST



CREEK 0



DALE



MEARS



Mc CAIN CAPT.



CUTCHINS MGR.



COACH BARNETTE



P. HUMPHREY

CHURCHLAND



MORGAN T

SEPT 24

CRADOCK 34

POQUOSON 2



SIMPSON B



BOOTHE G

CRADOCK 44



MOORE G

*Here's to you,  
H. H. H. H. H. H.  
Paul H. H. H.*

OCT



VIERB



Mr. Hoga  
I give it will be  
funny putting up with  
me for another year. But  
I will always remember you.  
Smoke

Mr. Hoga I have  
enjoyed being under  
you and hope that  
I can be back next  
year



Smoke

Jackson F

Buster

Matthews G

Mac

McCain C

Matthews G

Pat

Humphrey F

Jim

Baker M

Coach

Barnette

Eddie

Austin C

Jimmy

Matthews G

Red

Taylor G

Johnny

Scott G

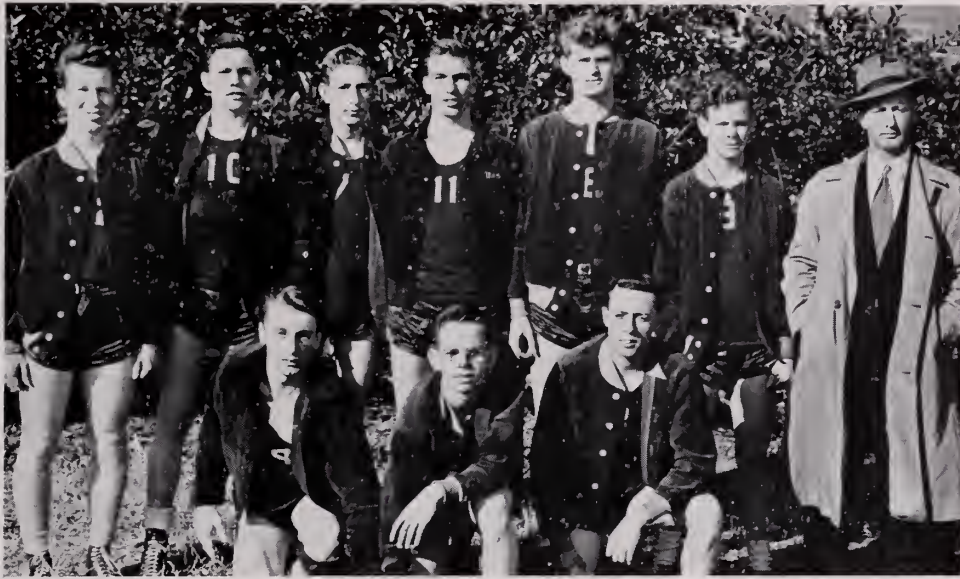
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Humphrey

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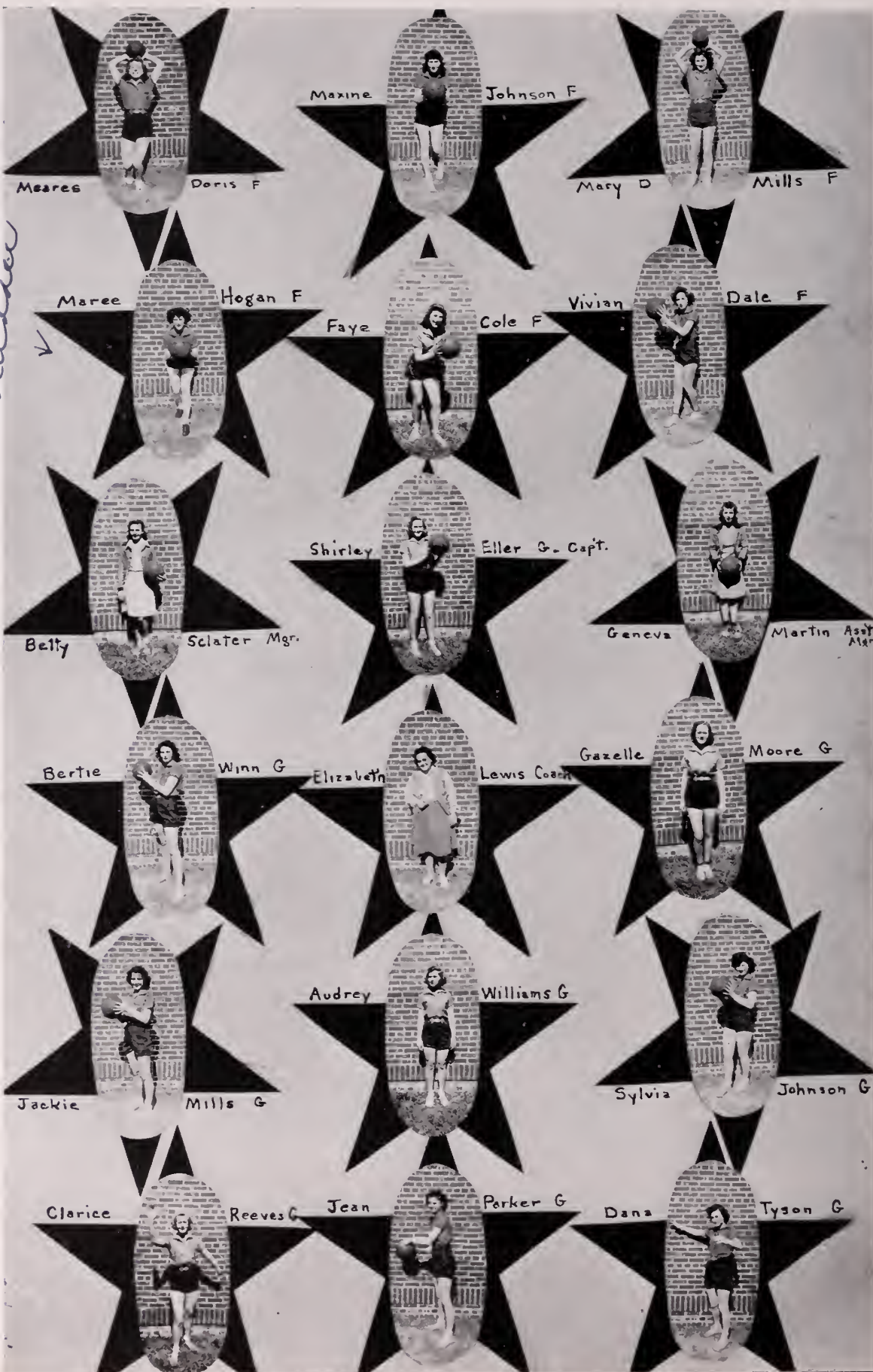
## BASKETBALL

### SCHEDULE

Dec. 10—Craddock	39	Granby	63
Dec. 14—Craddock	22	St. Joseph	30
Jan. 7—Craddock	27	Portlock	24
Jan. 12—Craddock	25	Norview	27
Jan. 14—Craddock	29	Suffolk	28
Jan. 18—Craddock	50	Churchland	13
Jan. 21—Craddock	15	Oceana	28
Jan. 28—Craddock	17	Morrison	10
Feb. 2—Craddock	25	Portlock	27
Feb. 4—Craddock	32	Suffolk	19
Feb. 7—Craddock	21	Granby	47
Feb. 11—Craddock	43	Morrison	23
Feb. 16—Craddock	31	Alexander Park	30
Feb. 18—Craddock	21	Oceana	28
Feb. 21—Craddock	21	St. Joseph	16
Feb. 22—Craddock	37	Deep Creek	20
Feb. 24—Craddock	25	Alexander Park	24
Feb. 25—Craddock	33	Old Timers	23
Feb. 29—Craddock	30	Norview	29
Mar. 12—Craddock	23	Norview	20
Total	566	Total	529

Won 13—Lost 5

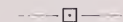
The students  
 who have enjoyed  
 having sport  
 a principal.  
 Maxine







## GIRLS' BASKETBALL



### SCHEDULE

			<i>We</i>	<i>They</i>
Dec. 14	St. Joseph	Here	13	28
Jan. 7	Portlock	Here	15	17
Jan. 14	Suffolk	There	32	22
Jan. 18	Churchland	Here	42	28
Jan. 21	Oceana	Here	7	8
Jan. 28	Morrison	There	27	21
Feb. 2	Portlock	There	19	18
Feb. 4	Suffolk	Here	37	41
Feb. 9	Waves	There	30	15
Feb. 11	Morrison	Here	—	25
Feb. 16	Alexander Park	Here	32	22
Feb. 18	Oceana	There	26	14
Feb. 21	St. Joseph	There	20	28
Feb. 14	Alexander Park	There	18	13
Feb. 25	Faculty	Here	37	29
Feb. 29	Norview	There	26	16

County Championship





## BASEBALL

### PLAYERS

BOBBY TAYLOR, L.F.  
JIMMY MATTHEWS, 3B.  
BUSTER MATTHEWS, C.F.  
EDDIE AUSTIN, 1B.  
HAROLD TAYLOR, 2B.  
PAT HUMPHREY, 2B.

ROCKY HUMPHREY, L.F.  
GERALD DOMME, S.S.  
WILSON CHAPMAN, C.  
JIMMY OSBORNE, P.  
KENNETH CARTER, Utility  
GRAHAM CARTER, Utility

BILL LOHMAN, P.  
BILL KOONTZ, 1B.  
PAUL CAUSEY, C.  
JOE SIMPSON, S.S.  
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ALEX OLIVER, .....

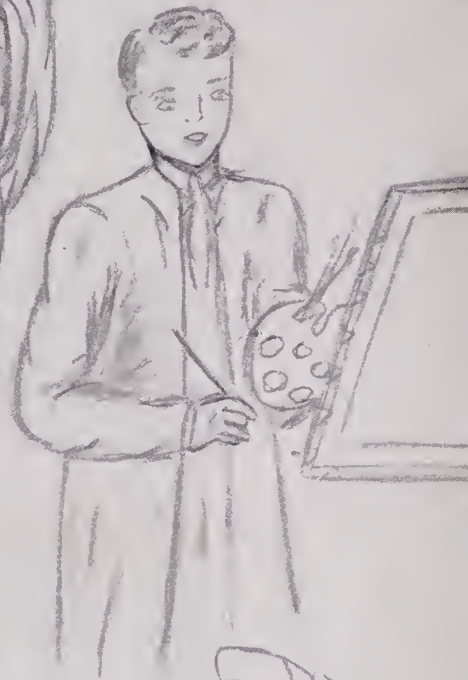
Manager

### SCHEDULE

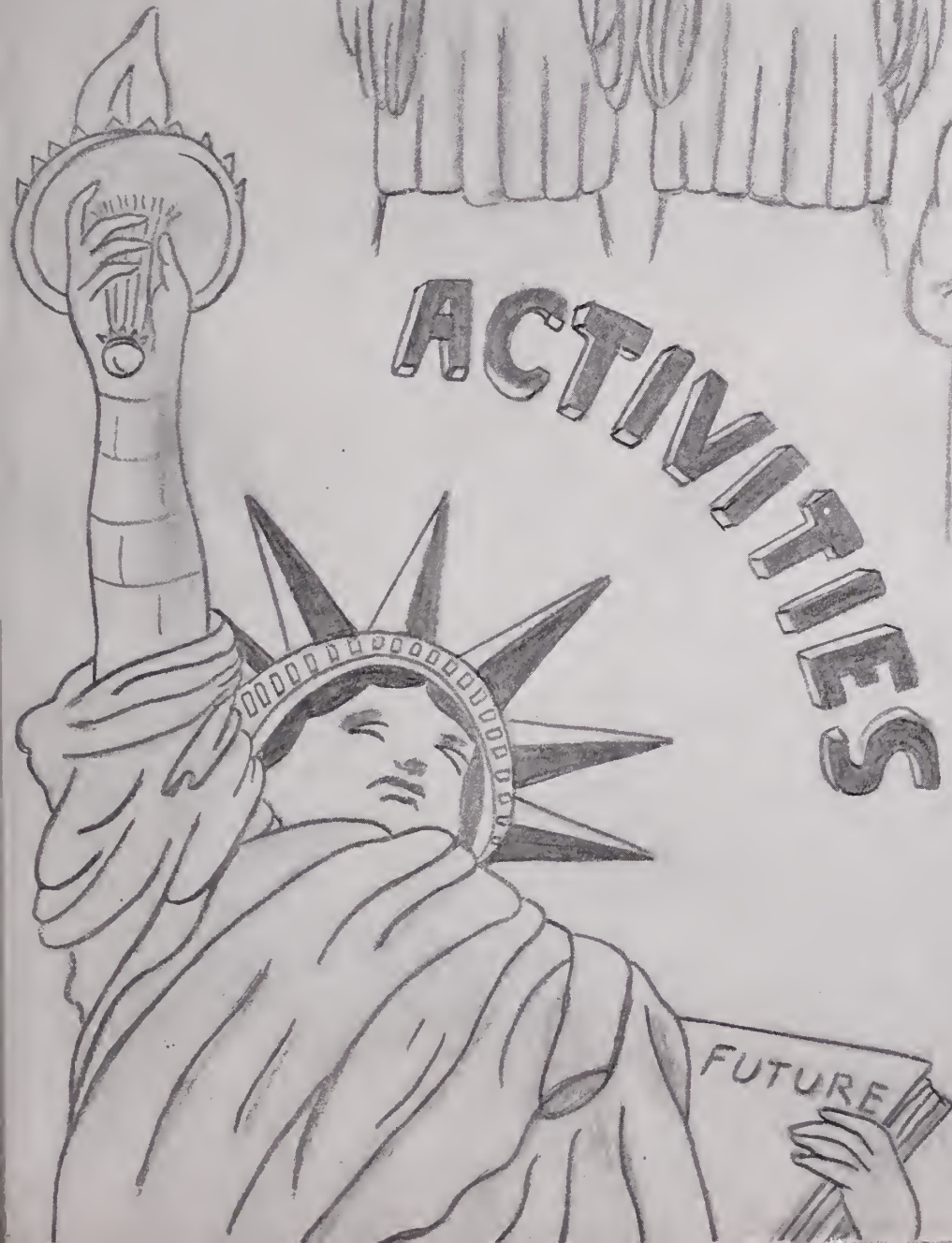
Mon. April 3  
Thurs. April 6  
Tues. April 11  
Thurs. April 13  
Fri. April 14  
Tues. April 18  
Thurs. April 20  
Fri. April 21  
Tues. April 25  
Thurs. April 27  
Fri. April 28  
Tues. May 2  
Thurs. May 4  
Tues. May 8  
Thurs. May 11  
Fri. May 12  
Tues. May 16  
Fri. May 19

Broad Creek at Cradock  
Cradock at Churchland...  
Granby at Cradock...  
Cradock at Portlock...  
Cradock at Oceana...  
Churchland at Cradock...  
Morrison at Cradock...  
Maury at Cradock...  
Cradock at Suffolk...  
Alexander Park at Cradock  
Cradock at Norview...  
Cradock at Wilson...  
Cradock at Deep Creek...  
Cradock at Granby...  
Norview at Cradock...  
Suffolk at Cradock...  
Cradock at Morrison...  
Oceana at Cradock...

County  
County and Tidewater  
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Class B  
Tidewater



# ACTIVITIES





## STUDENT COUNCIL

The Student Council has been an organization government of the students at Cradock for many years. A plan was introduced to "bring the Student Council out of its shell." This was accomplished by holding one meeting a month with the high school body present. These were entirely business meetings and held for the purpose of acquainting the students with the activities of the council and bringing the two closer together. A number of committees were appointed for the purpose of solving certain school problems. Reports were made by the chairman of each committee at the council-student assemblies.

The Student Council sponsored the sale of Activity Tickets and was responsible for the purchasing of the Service Plaque.

The aims of each committee were accomplished and the Student Council had a very successful year.

### OFFICERS

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GLORIA OLSON .....	<i>Secretary</i>
VIVIAN DALE .....	<i>Treasurer</i>

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David Forrest .....	ROWE	Buster Matthews .....	MRS. WEAVER
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Jack DeGross .....	CREBLE	Shirlee Parker .....	BYRD
Charles Weikert .....	DAVIS	Dot Wright .....	McCLENNY
Dale Lott .....	AITKEN	Claude Foltz .....	SIDES
Dolores Windham .....	MISS WEAVER	Rose Lee Porter .....	PARKER
Richard Harrison .....	MOREY	Terry White .....	AMES

### COMMITTEES

<i>Publicity</i> —Shirlee Parker .....	<i>Sponsor</i>
<i>Assembly Programs</i> —Raymond Houghton .....	MISS AMES
<i>Social</i> —Betty Sclater .....	MISS MOREY
<i>Interior Appearances</i> —Kitty Stowe .....	MISS AITKEN
<i>Attendance</i> —Marion McCain .....	MISS PARKER AND MR. SPENCER
<i>Campus</i> —Red Moore .....	MR. HOGAN AND MISS LEWIS
<i>Lost and Found</i> —Bertie Winn .....	MISS LEWIS
<i>War Efforts</i> —Ronnie Ward .....	MRS. O'SHIELDS
<i>Hobbies</i> —Richard Harrison .....	MISS McCLENNY
<i>Cafeteria</i> —Ann Wilburn .....	MISS LIPPARD
<i>Finance</i> —Red Taylor .....	MISS LAUTENSCHLAGER
<i>Safety</i> —Claude Foltz .....	MISS SIDES
	MR. SPENCER



# P. T. A.

The aim of the P. T. A. for 1944 was the installation of a public address system. This goal was achieved in the early part of March with the arrival of the equipment. Thus, once again, the P. T. A. has added to the assets of our school. Our sound system has been needed for a great while and we extend our most hearty thanks to the P. T. A.

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<i>Health</i> .....	MRS. B. L. SEAY
<i>Summer Round-Up</i> .....	MRS. G. H. MCCAIN
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<i>Religious Education</i> .....	MRS. LEWIS THORNTON
<i>Hospitality</i> .....	MRS. JESSE H. OVERTON
<i>Visual Education</i> .....	MRS. JOHN PERKINS
<i>Music</i> .....	MRS. HERBERT WALL
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<i>Faculty Representative</i> .....	MISS VIRGINIA GRAVES
<i>Student Adviser</i> .....	EDWARD AUSTIN
<i>Lunch Room Manager</i> .....	MRS. R. R. WHITSELL





## GLEE CLUB

The Glee Club has given the Spring Revue, the Minstrel and the Beauty Contest. It has entertained at the Naval Hospital, and U. S. O. as well as at the school. The proceeds were used to buy equipment for the Glee Club.

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# ORCHESTRA

The orchestra having attained its aim of becoming an accredited subject has had by far its biggest year and has received recognition from an enthusiastic student body as well as the public, when it presented a series of three full evening programs.

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DALE LOTT	RICHARD SAUNDERS
NORMA SHUMAKER	GENE MARICH
KATHERINE SAUNDERS	ROY WADE
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JOHN PHILLIPS	HENRY WATSON
RICHARD HARRISON	LESTER DUNLEY
JUNE HOPE DAUGHTREY	FORREST DOWDY
SAM LETSINGER	DONALD TOMLINSON



*I certainly have enjoyed  
being at Chaddock this  
year. You are a swell  
principal.  
Kathryn  
Saunders*



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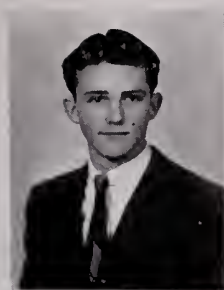
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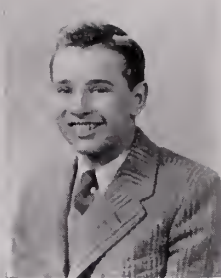
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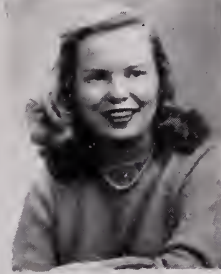
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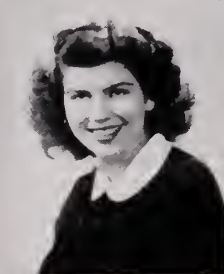
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# THE ADMIRAL STAFF





*I've enjoyed  
knowing you  
this year. Ray S.*

*Look to one  
who treats us  
like a father*

*David M.  
Humphrey*

## DRAMATIC CLUB

The two main productions of the club were "If Men Played Cards as Women Do," featuring Raymond Houghton, Ray Simpson, David Humphrey, Richard Lump and "If Women Worked as Men Do," with Vilma Bargerstock, Kitty Stowe, Betty Jean Collier and Louise Dunn.

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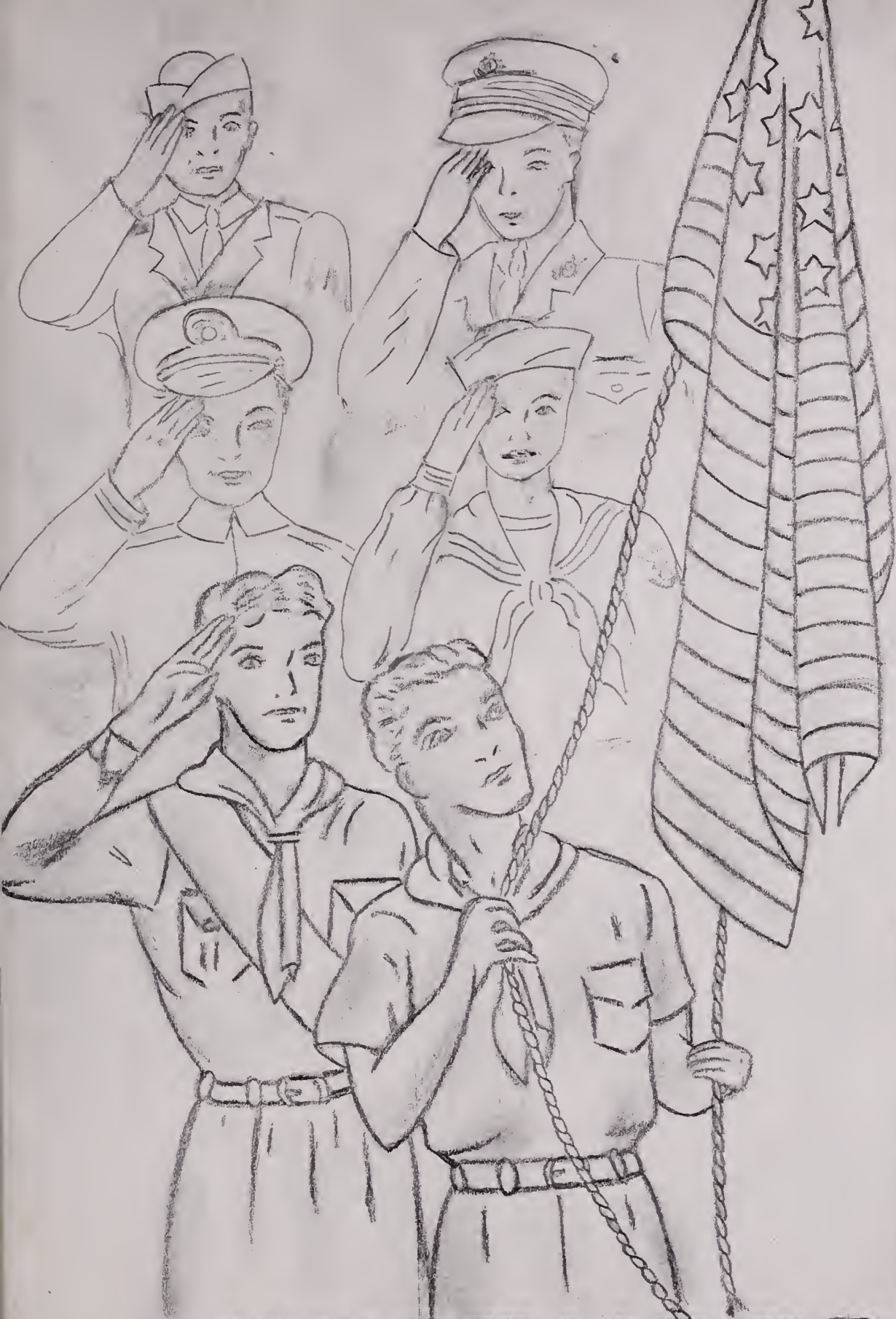
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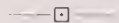






# FEATURES

# DEAR DIARY



September

*Dear Diary:*

Ah-h-h, summer has come and gone and once again we return to "ye olde" school house. September 9th marked our first day back, or shall we say half-day? Life was gay during the early weeks of school and on the 17th we attended the very first assembly program of our senior year. It included, among other things, a fiery pep meeting in preparation for the grand opening of the football season against Granby High. The score (uh, let's just skip *that* one!) Senior class officers and sponsors were elected on the 20th and on the 21st an invitations committee was chosen. Preparations for our long struggle toward a diploma were under way!

DOVIE AND GLORIA.

October

*Dear Diary:*

Another month and football is still the top attraction. We played South Norfolk on October 1st and achieved a *bloody* victory! The much touted "Tigers" looked more like "Kittens" *that* day! The war hit home and sent most of the Seniors to help ration gas on the 4th and 5th, not that we minded! The first Southeast Assembly took place on the 7th, featuring an honest-to-goodness G-Man. All of Cradock High's "criminals" hibernated and refused to attend! The Admirals sank their ancient rivals, the Churchland "Truckers," to the tune of 44-0 and were riding high! "Music soothes the savage beast" it is said, but a certain "hot" saxophone had just the opposite effect on an enthusiastic student body at the Orchestra Concert on October 20th. A victory over Deep Creek's "Hornets" was followed by a defeat at the hands of Morrison's "Farmers." The Admirals had "hayseed" in their eyes—I guess.

DOVIE AND GLORIA.

November

*Dear Diary:*

Several C. H. S. "hopefuls" took the Army Exam on November 4th and that night we all relaxed at another concert by the Orchestra. Suffolk's "Red Raiders" invaded the stadium on the 6th but were taken into camp by the "plucky" Admirals, 13-12, for the most *thrilling* game of the pigskin season! "Old Glory," slightly tattered and torn, was replaced by a new flag on November 9th at an impressive flag-raising ceremony. We all had lumps in our throats as the new addition to C. H. S. proudly rose to billow out in freedom's winds. The Freshmen were soundly punished on the 12th by the "*mighty*" Seniors at Supreme Court. At last we gained our revenge for long-remembered punishment dealt us when we were lowly "rats"! The Thanksgiving holiday arrived on the 25th and we went to eat our fill of all the delicacies of the occasion.

DOVIE AND GLORIA.

December

*Dear Diary:*

The first snow fell on December 15th and it could have been the amazing results of the wonderful powers of Chanda, the magician, who arrived on the 1st. The long awaited Christmas holidays began on December 17th and it looked as if St. Nick would have a busy day. At least *we* made requests for many things!

DOVIE AND GLORIA.

January

*Dear Diary:*

All good things must come to an end and so it was with our Christmas "vacation" which came to an abrupt close on the 3rd. A new year had begun and we resolved to pay more attention to our class-work. (We really did *try*, too!) Football and Cheer leading letters were presented at an assembly on January 7th. Recipients' chests swelled with pride as they were given their rewards for a good season and a great deal of hard work. Shrieks ran through the halls of C. H. S. on the 13th when

an interesting snake exhibit was held. (It was interesting to the *boys*, anyway!) January 24th marked the day on which the Army Air Corps Exam was given. This was just a preliminary to the "real" exams which began on the 25th and lasted through the 31st. Woe to those who hadn't studied!

DOVIE AND GLORIA.

February

*Dear Diary:*

Another Southeast Assembly entitled "Science Ages," took place on February 9th and several of the high school's "mad scientists" gained new inspiration. Worried looks were many as the Seniors and a few other students went to the T. B. Clinic to have an X-ray on the 10th. Hacking coughs in an epidemic! The 4th Bond Rally began on February 21st and was climaxed by the launching of the aircraft carrier, "Shangri-La," on the 24th. We went to the launching and enjoyed it a great deal even if the steel cable on which we were sitting was *slightly* uncomfortable!

DOVIE AND GLORIA.

March

*Dear Diary:*

March winds did blow but still the Spring Revue, with all of its scanty costumes, was held on March 3. On the 6th Jack Rank portrayed all of the characters in Macbeth. We are still wondering how he changed costumes so hastily. The man must be a genius! The Orchestra held another Concert on March 8th and became a celebrated organization. The basketball season ended in a maze of glory and triumph as both the boys' and girls' teams walked off with the county championship! We really were proud of them! "Calling All Senior girls interested in being nurses or telephone operators. Report auditorium." This took place on March 13th and both professions were received with enthusiasm. Several nurses-to-be buckled down harder on the First Aid course and prayed for graduation. Zeno Grimes, our hero, spoke at an assembly on March 23rd. The entire population of C. H. S. was overcome by his quiet charm and unassuming manner. We couldn't picture him as the ferocious pilot who had received the Purple Heart and been reported missing in action. On March 31st the Senior play was held before a full house and thus another month ended.

DOVIE AND GLORIA.

April

*Dear Diary:*

April 5th saw many oversized babies toddling from class to class. Baby Day had arrived and at last we Seniors had a chance to act our age! The Easter holidays began on the 7th and ended much too quickly on the 10th. An Art Exhibit was held on April 17th and we were astounded at the talents of our own classmates. True *genii*! Cradock beauties displayed their loveliness at the Beauty Contest on the 21st. It is said the judges had a difficult time deciding on the winner. We had a hilarious time at the one and only Faculty Play April 27-28. Our superiors shed their dignity and showed their inner selves!

DOVIE AND GLORIA.

May

*Dear Diary:*

One more month and our school days will be over. We attended the Junior-Senior, which was an elaborated affair thanks to the diligent Juniors, on May 5th. Many beautiful gowns were in view and also many beautiful smiles. Happiness was at its height. May 11th was set aside for May Day and all 5-pointers participated. The gym classes also displayed their talents. Odds and Ends, the annual minstrel, was held on May 18-19, complete with blackfaced comedians. This was a gay month but now we must prepare for the sad task of graduating.

DOVIE AND GLORIA.

June

*Dear Diary:*

School days have ended all too soon. Class night took place on June 2nd, the Baccalaureate Sermon on the 4th, and Commencement on the 5th. We shed many tears unashamedly and wished we could live all 4 years over again. As we say good-bye to you dear diary and all our many friends may we add that in later life the inspiration of all we do or become will have come from the shining class rooms of C. H. S.

DOVIE AND GLORIA.





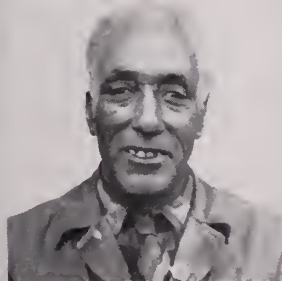
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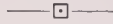


# DAZE





## CORRIDOR COMMENT



A few Senior girls got diamonds. Georgia Liles, Patsy Henley, Shirlee Parker, and Doris Meares were among the fortunate.

Red, Pete, and Lappy were the "wits" of the Junior class. They never could stay out of trouble.

"Romeo" McCain was a "Casanova" until finally the "WRIGHT" girl came along.

Vilma Bargerstock and Kitty Stowe ran out on the Cradock boys and handed their hearts to Wilson "cuties."

Edith Marie and Earl Williams were "steady's" 'til Earl left for the wars, and now she wears his wings and a lonesome look.

Faye Cole met Jeff and swish!! Another engagement.

Miss Weaver and Lt. Jim! Need we say more?

The freshmen did all right, too, especially June Archer and Annette Whitehead.

Shirley Eller found a new system. She hooked "referees" through her ability to play basketball.

The Domme-Watson romance was a surprise to everyone. It still lives on.

"Pee-Wee" Foltz just would not give the girls a chance.

Miss Morey has "Gobs of Love" for the Navy.

Tommy Watson and Jimmie Monaghan ran in close competition for the "most drape" boy in Cradock High.

Kenneth Williams kept his "secret love" a mystery another year.

Peggy Heans still carried the torch for Larry Claxton.

One romance that lasted the whole year was that "colossal" affair of Marion McCain and Leslie Morgan.

Clarice Reeves kept everybody happy with her cheerful smile.

Is it really a romance between Phyllis Kern and Ronnie Ward? Well, could be.

Miss Sides received "V" Mail letters from her sailor overseas all year.

Sixth period typing class brought about a romance between Anne Hollowell and George Powers.





JEAN WOODARD



FAYE COLE

## MISS CRADOCK HIGH

1943

*Queen*—Miss JEAN WOODARD  
*Maid of Honor*—Miss FRANCES BELL

### CONTESTANTS

ALICE DIXON  
 VILMA BARGERSTOCK  
 JEAN WOODARD  
 FRANCES BELL  
 SHIRLEE PARKER  
 LOUISE DUNN  
 LYDIA WELSTEAD  
 MARY LEE BOYKIN

VERNA LANE  
 DORIS RANSON  
 JACKIE WARD  
 LOUISE MARTIN  
 PEGGY COOLEY  
 NORMA SHUMAKER  
 MARY BATTEN  
 BERNICE DEAL

1944

*Queen*—Miss FAYE COLE  
*Maids of Honor*—Miss PASTY HENLEY, Miss JACKIE WARD

### CONTESTANTS

MARY LEE BOYKIN  
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 MARY JANE VIA  
 BETTY FOWLER  
 BETSY WARD  
 JACKIE WARD  
 LOUISE MARTIN  
 DORIS TROUT  
 BERNICE DEAL  
 IRENE SEIDMAN

BETTY SCLATER  
 JUNE ARCHER  
 LUCY BOURDON  
 MARY DOUGLAS MILLS  
 ANN WILBURN  
 BILLIE DOVE FORREST  
 PATSY HENLEY  
 SHIRLEY HOUGHTON  
 VERNON TABLER  
 DORIS MEARES

## Favorite Chatter~

THOMAS PETERSON—"That's tough."

MARION MCCAIN—"No doubt."

RED MOORE—"Wip wam, bip bam!"

SMOKE JACKSON—"Got a penny?"

TOMMY WATSON—"Well I don't like to brag but ———"

WILSON CHAPMAN—"Who dat?"

JACKIE WARD—"Oh brother!"

BERTIE WINN—"Oh, fine!"

HOWARD BARNES—"You know?"

LOU BOURDON—"Ye gads!"

ROCKY HUMPHREY—"You dog!"

MYRTLE KELLAM—"Golly, Pete."

PAT HUMPHREY—"Batbrains!"

MARGUREITE WINN—"Well, all rite."

VIVIAN DALE—"Aw, come on fellows!"

MAC MCCAIN—"You're hustling kid."

JEAN WOODWARD—"Hey, boy!"

EDDIE AUSTIN—"Don't say joy juice, say Austin's  
Kickapoo joy juice!"



*King*  
EDDIE AUSTIN



*Queen*  
MARY DOUGLAS MILLS

## MAY DAY

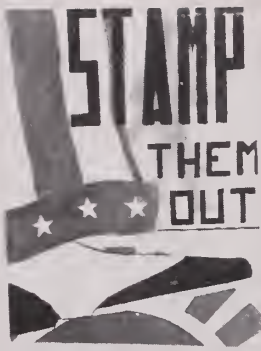
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Grade 1—SONDA WAKEFIELD  
Grade 2—SANDRA GARRIS  
Grade 3—JEAN DANIELS  
Grade 4—MARY NELL EDWARDS  
Grade 5—HELEN Mc-GINIS  
Grade 6—JANE OLIVER  
Grade 7—NANCY JOHNSON  
Grade 8—JOANNE PALMER  
Grade 9—JACKIE MILLS  
Grade 10—DORIS TROUT  
Grade 11—MARION BARNES

BOBBY PARKER  
GARY LEE STUART  
LLOYD BEALE  
DANIEL WILLIAMS  
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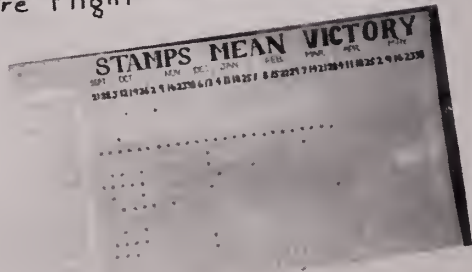
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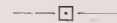
First Aid







## FRESHMEN FROLICS



### PROGRAM

#### ACT I—SPRING

ORCHESTRA.....	"The Easter Parade"
CHORUS AND DANCE GROUP.....	"Singing in the Rain"
CHORUS.....	"There'll Soon be a Rainbow"
SEXTET.....	"Apple Blossom Time"

#### ACT II—SUMMER

ORCHESTRA AND CHORUS.....	"In the Good Old Summer-time"
SPECIALTY.....	Jackie Meadows, Ann DeKalb, Tom Scott, Jack DeGroff
SONG—"They Always Pick On Me".....	Jackie Meadows
CHORUS.....	"Swanee River"
SPECIALTY.....	Maurice Johnson, Leon Powell
CHORUS.....	"Lil Liza Jane"
CHORUS.....	"Take Me Out to the Ball Game"
SPECIALTY.....	Howard Goldman, Presley Powell, Wyllis Sayre, Heywood Grently

#### ACT III—FALL

SONG—"Tis Autumn".....	Ann DeKalb
ORCHESTRA; BOYS CHORUS; BETTY COED (Ellen James); and DANCE GROUP.....	"Betty Coed"
CHORUS.....	"Win"
BOYS CHORUS.....	"Buckle Down Winsocki"

#### ACT IV—WINTER

ORCHESTRA.....	"Oh Come All Ye Faithful"
READINGS of the Christmas Story.....	
CHORUS.....	"Oh Holy Night," "O Little Town of Bethlehem," "Silent Night," "Joy to the World"

SEXTET—Norma Meobes, Phyllis Bragg, Joan Mason, Joan Fortier, Jackie Meadows, Ann DeKalb.  
 DANCE GROUP—Jeanette Johnson, Joan Shaw, Joyce England, Jean Holloway, Connie Chestnut, Martha Lovelace, Dorothy Bland, Joanne Palmer, Justine Klatt, Shirley Mallerus, Shirley Becker.  
 CHORUS—Dickie Adamson, Robert Banes, Tacie Bass, Phyllis Bragg, Haywood Brantley, Janice Brown, Nancy Christian, Ann DeKalb, Jackie DeGroff, Niles Dickson, Mary Lee Farrar, Joan Fortier, Marian Foster, Barbara Gardner, Howard Goldman, Eileen Gift, Betty Jean Grimes, Gloria Grimes, Marshall Hall, Betty Hauser, Harry Howard, Thelma Jackson, Ellen James, Maurice Johnson, Nancy Longstreet, Edward Lockstampfor, Everett Lyons, Joan Mason, Lilla Mayfield, Jimmie Matthews, Jackie Meadows, Norma Meobes, Mona Morris, Frank Overman, Jessie Overton, Mary Patterson, Adele Phillips, Leon Powell, Virginia Price, Betty Rayburn, Peggy Robins, Tommie Scott, Willis Sayre, Betty Tyler, Annette Whitehead, Johnny Wilson, Betty Jean Woody.





## SPRING REVUE



MASTER OF CEREMONIES.....Eddie Austin  
PIANIST.....Mrs. John Ellis

### PROGRAM

#### Act I

CHORUS....."Stout-hearted Men"  
CHORUS....."Can't Yo' Heah Me Callin' Caroline"  
CHORUS....."Southern Memories"  
CHORUS....."Masser Dear"  
CHORUS....."A Smile Will Go A Long Long Way"  
SELECTED CHORUS....."The Rosary"  
SONG—"Without A Song".....Richard Harrison  
SONG—"They Always Pick On Me".....Jackie Meadows  
SONG—Conga Number.....Betty Schlater  
SONG—"I Love A Parade".....Ann DeKallb

#### Act II

"IF MEN PLAYED CARDS AS WOMEN DO"—

*Cast:* Raymond Houghton, David Humphrey, Richard Lumpp, Ray Simpson

"IF WOMEN WORKED AS MEN DO"—

*Cast:* Betty Jean Collier, Vilma Bargerstock, Kitty Stowe, Louise Dunn

#### Act III

#### HALL OF BEAUTY

SPECIALTY—"A Pretty Girl Is Like A Melody"

"You Rythm With Everything That's Beautiful".....Raymond Houghton

SPECIALTY—"Don't Believe Everything You Dream".....Joan Bertrum

DANCERS—Shirley Houghton, Gloria Olson, Sylvia Johnson, Betty Schlater, Dot Russell, Doris Meares  
MODELS—Mary Douglas Mills, Pat Henley, Pat Hoffman, Clarice Reeves, Jean Woodard, Jean Burns,  
Vilma Bargerstock, Shirley Parker.

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MR. SPENCER: Versatile, Boogie-woogie artist, thinning hair.

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MISS MOREY: Dramatic ability, cute laugh, I. Q. plus.

MISS LAUTENSCHLAGER: New Jersey accent, dreamy eyes, Chemistry class.

MISS WEAVER: Pretty jewelry, Lt. Jim, traffic committee.

MRS. ROWE: Becoming hairdo, well liked, Student Council.

MR. HAGA: Always busy, running walk, pleasing personality.

MISS MCCLENNY: Math wizard, bangs, neat.

MISS CREDLE: Journalism class, flattering, works hard.

MRS. HANSON: Attractive, retail class, lots of fun.

MISS HAVERTY: Likes brown, music is her life, patriotic.

MR. BARNETTE: Generous with his time, great coach, strict.

MRS. WEAVER: English units, sweet, likeable.

MISS PARKER: Artistic, pretty, beautiful brown eyes.

MRS. O'SHIELDS: Feather-cut, efficient, nice smile.

MR. HOGAN: Tardy excuses, sports fan, congenial.

MRS. DAVIS: Chewing gum, tiny, likes to teach.



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## SUPPOSIN'

Mary Douglas Mills was frivolous, talkative blonde.

The English IV class was quiet, attentive and well-behaved.

We had a lot of tall, husky freshmen.

Joe Rosendale was the biggest flirt in Cradock.

Eddie Austin was a timid soul who preferred books to sports.

Miss Lautenschlager had a name like Jones or Smith.

Sidney C., Rocky H., Pat H., and Richard L. never had an argument in history class.

Gloria Olson never left class to attend meetings.

Ann DeKalb never attracted any attention.

Pat Hoffman had girl friends instead of boy friends.

Betty Selater and Sylvia Johnson couldn't dance a step.

Jim Baker and Bill Koontz looked like Frankenstein and the wolf man.

Rodney Humphrey agreed with all the referees.

Johnny Ellis was six feet tall.

Mary Patterson didn't have a boy friend at Military Academy.

Jack Perkins wasn't THE ideal lover.

Howard Barnes didn't have the St. Joseph girls to turn to.

Lou Bourdon kept one boy friend for a season.

Jackie Meadows didn't have her cute way of putting a song over.

Gene Bushnell and Margaret Gratz hadn't found each other this year.

Hunter Boothe didn't have some girl swooning over him all the time.

Betty Jean Rayburn didn't talk her cute (?) baby-talk.

Ellen James didn't have a stag line all the time.

Miss Aitken was a typical old maid school teacher.

Billie Dove Forrest could make up her mind between Billy and Lappy.

Jackie Ward didn't listen in on people's telephone conversations while she is working.



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